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GENERAL PRISONS BOARD, IRELAND.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY CHARLES STEWART VANE-
TEMPEST, MARQUIS OF LONDONDERRY, K.G.,

LORD LIEUTENANT GENERAL AND GENERAL GOVERNOR OF IRELAND.

General Prisons Board, Dublin Castle,
29th July, 1889.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY :

1. Pursuant to statute, we, the General Prisons Board, have the honour to present this our Eleventh Annual Report on the condition of the Prisons and Prisoners within our jurisdiction, and in respect to the Registration of Habitual Criminals during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

40 & 41 Vic.
cap. 49, sec. 15.

I.—LOCAL PRISONS.

2. In our Report for 1888, paragraphs 2-3, will be found a detailed statement of our proceedings during that and the two immediately preceding years in connection with the continued progress made by us in the reduction of the number of Local Prisons—resulting, as shown, in a total saving of £8,112 in our expenditure for these three years.

Reduction of
Local Prisons.

3. This, it is to be observed, was in addition to the much larger reduction effected in previous years, as detailed in our successive annual Reports, and the total amount of which between the years 1877 and 1888, as set forth in para. 5 of our last Report, was £34,322.* During the year since elapsed there was a further reduction under each of the several heads of service enumerated in the Comparative Tables—para. 5, page 7, of last Report—amounting in the aggregate to the sum of £7,132, the difference between £102,746—the expenditure for 1887-8—and £95,614, that for 1888-9—thus raising the total reduction in the annual rate of disbursement to £41,454, EQUIVALENT TO 30 PER CENT. PER ANNUM, for the year just closed, as compared with that for 1877—

Reduction in
Annual Ex-
penditure.

* See paragraph 5, p. 7, Tenth Annual Report, explaining that this was irrespective of a large additional outlay under two special heads of service.

40 & 41 Vic.,
cap. 49, sec. 17.

the year preceding that in which the Local Prisons were transferred by statute from the control of the COUNTY BODIES to the CENTRAL AUTHORITY of the General Prisons Board.

Local Prisons.

4. We stated in our last Report, para. 5, that with the discontinuance of the Richmond Prison, then announced by us, it might be assumed that the concentration of Local Prisons had been carried as far as could be considered at once safe and practicable, until effect was given to the recommendation embodied in the Report of the Royal Commission of 1883-4, para. 184, with respect to the construction of a new Public Works Male Convict Prison at a distance from the Metropolis, and the conversion of Mountjoy to the two-fold purpose of a Male and Female Local Prison for Dublin and a Female Convict Prison for the entire country—Richmond, Kilmainham and Grangegorman Prisons being at the same time entirely discontinued.

5. This measure appears to have commended itself very strongly to the judgment of the Royal Commission, and no doubt the facts, as they then stood, lent considerable force to the arguments adduced by the Commissioners, para. 182-3 of their Report, in support of their recommendation.

Large reduction
in convict
population.

Since that time, however, a most material change of circumstances, not then probably anticipated, has ensued, as will be seen on reference to the following Table, giving the particulars of the the Irish Convict population during the septennial period from 1883 to 1889, viz. :—

YEAR.	Number of Convicts.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.
1885,	793	105	898
1886,	782	88	870
1887,	754	82	836
1888,	700	86	786
1889,	680	69	749
1888,	624	54	678
1889,	466	46	512

From the above table it will be observed that within the comparatively short term comprehended between the year 1888 and the present time the male convict population has been gradually and progressively reduced from 793 to 466, or 41 per cent., and that of the females from 105 to 46, or 56 per cent.

In view of these facts it is manifest that the case which might have been formerly made to justify the Government in embarking in the considerable outlay of public money necessary to carry out the scheme of the Royal Commission has been greatly weakened, and that for the present, at any rate, it must needs be suffered to fall into abeyance.

6. As a consequence of this, as already indicated, the process of reduction in the number of our Local Prisons, which has for several years past engaged our earnest and most careful attention, must be now regarded as having for the present

reached its limit, and we have accordingly no additional proceedings under this head, to bring to your Excellency's notice on the present occasion.

7. We adverted in our last Report to the fact that the disturbed condition of the County Clare had necessitated the temporary re-opening of Ennis Prison as a Police Lock-up. As then stated, there is no reason to apprehend that the necessity for this arrangement will be of long continuance, but for the present it could not be conveniently dispensed with, having regard to the requirements of the Constabulary.

Ennis Police
Lock-up.

8. During the past year considerable difficulty was experienced in some of the Local Prisons owing to the refusal of certain prisoners to comply with the ordinary rules prescribed for the government of Prisons—especially those relating to the wearing of the ordinary prison dress, the clipping of the hair, and taking exercise at the same time and place as other classes of prisoners.

New Rules.

While refusing to recognise any claim to these exemptions on the ground of the nature of the offence for which certain prisoners had been committed, the Government deemed it advisable to refer the subject within certain defined limits for inquiry by a Committee specially chosen for the purpose, but meantime, and pending the result of this reference, certain modifications of the existing regulations were provisionally sanctioned and brought into operation on the 9th April, by virtue of an Order dated 27th March, 1889.

The following modifications were made under the circumstances thus described, viz. :—

I.

OLD RULE.

28. A convicted criminal prisoner shall be provided with a complete prison dress, and shall be required to wear it.

35. Each male prisoner shall have his beard clipped, or be shaved at least once a week, unless specially exempted by the Governor or Surgeon.

36. The hair of a female prisoner shall not be cut without her consent, except on account of vermin or dirt, or when the Surgeon deems it requisite on the ground of health, and the hair of male criminal prisoners shall not be cut closer than may be necessary for purposes of health and cleanliness.

44. Criminal prisoners if employed at work in their own cells, shall be permitted to take such exercise in the open air as the Surgeon may deem necessary for their health.

II.

NEW RULE.

28. A convicted criminal prisoner shall be provided with a complete prison dress, and shall be required to wear it, unless the General Prisons Board shall, by order in writing, otherwise direct, on the grounds that the wearing of such dress is not necessary for the purposes of health or personal cleanliness.

35. Each male prisoner shall have his beard clipped, or be shaved at least once a week, unless specially exempted by the Governor or Surgeon, on the grounds that the same is not necessary for the purposes of health or personal cleanliness.

36. The hair of a female prisoner shall not be cut without her consent, except on account of vermin or dirt, or when the Surgeon deems it requisite on the ground of health, and if the hair of male criminal prisoners be cut, it shall not be cut closer than may be necessary for the purposes of health and cleanliness.

44. Criminal prisoners, if employed at work in their own cells, shall be permitted to take such exercise in the open air as the Surgeon may deem necessary for their health. Such exercise to be taken at such times and places and subject to such conditions as the Governor or Surgeon may direct.

It was also found necessary to add certain conditions with respect to the application of Rule 28, and the following circular was accordingly issued to the Governors of the several Prisons on the 20th June, 1889 :—

"The General Prisons Board desire that when, under new Rule 28, permission is granted to prisoners to wear their own clothing, the prisoners should be distinctly informed that the Board will be in no way responsible either for keeping such clothing in a proper state of repair, or replacing it when worn out.

"When submitting any application for such permission, the Governor and Medical Officer should be careful to report whether they are satisfied that an adequate supply of suitable inside clothing is also available for the prisoners' use, as it is to be clearly understood that no article of prison dress can be issued to any prisoner who wears his own clothing."

Sufficient time has not yet elapsed to enable the Board to judge accurately as to the practical effect of these several changes; but, from a return received, it would appear that, during a period of over three months from the adoption of the Rules, the number of prisoners who claimed and obtained permission to wear their own clothes was 48.

9. A further ground of objection taken to the operation of the ordinary rules had reference to the performance of the labour and certain tasks usually required from prisoners; but as this objection was already substantially provided for by legislation, it was only deemed necessary to direct the Governors to inform non-hard-labour prisoners making this objection of the means by which it was open to them to relieve themselves from this obligation—viz, by undertaking to pay to the Board the cost of their prison allowance of food.

The number of prisoners, however, who have availed themselves of this provision during the past three months was only 16.

10. In the Appendix, Table XII., we take leave to submit the usual particulars as to all punishments incurred by local prisoners during the past year, as well as the far more considerable number of those on whom it was not found necessary to inflict punishment of any kind during that period.

Although the total number of punishments in Table XII. shows some increase for last year over the figures for each of the four immediately preceding years, it is to be observed, as accounting for this, that there was a corresponding increase during the same period in the number of commitments to prison,—while the statistics continue at present, as for some time past, to contrast most favourably in this respect with the returns for previous years,—the number punished in 1880-81, viz. :—9,604 having, during the past year, fallen to 4,707, or less than one-half of the former number.

11. In the Tables X. and XI. will be found the educational particulars supplied each year in regard to the prisoners committed to the larger class of prisons.

Exemption
from Labour.

19 & 20 Vic.,
cap. 69, sec. 16.

Prison punish-
ments.

Educational
Statistics.

The number of "wholly illiterate" prisoners shown in the Return for the year 1887-8 was 14,462, out of a total of 39,314 committals, as against 16,244 out of a total of 42,204 for last year.

12. We referred in paragraph 8 of last Report to our success in obtaining increased remuneration for our Teaching Staff, and further experience has tended to confirm very fully our anticipations of the good effect to be expected as the result of that arrangement.

13. In connection with this subject we dwelt in paragraph 8 of last year's Report, and paragraph 9 of that for 1886-7, on the formidable nature of the impediment presented to the achievement of any large measure of educational success in our Prison System by the vast preponderance of extremely short terms of imprisonment in the sentences passed upon offenders in this country. We then submitted in a tabular form the particulars as to this, extracted from Table IX. in the Appendix to the Report, and it will be seen from the following that a comparison of the statistics of the last year with those for 1887-8 indicate rather an increasing than a declining tendency in the same direction, viz. :—

DURATION OF SENTENCES.	Number of Sentences.		Percentage, 1888-9.
	1887-8.	1888-9.	
Twenty-four and forty-eight hours, . . .	5,222	2,514	9.7
Fourteen days and over forty-eight hours, . . .	19,172	53,144	57.2
One month and over fourteen days, . . .	7,463	7,460	18.5
Three months and over one month, . . .	3,844	4,174	19.2
Over three and under six months, . . .	649	300	1.6
Six months and upwards, . . .	1,238	1,112	5.7
Unlimited, &c., . . .	257	127	.6
Total number in year, . . .	37,643	40,681	—

In the report of the Roman Catholic Chaplain of Grangegorman Female Prison for the past year, he states as to this:—

Opinion of R. C.
Chaplain

"Notwithstanding the success that has attended the efforts of the Prisoners' Aid Society, I find an increase of nearly 3,000 commitments as compared with the year 1884-5.

"In order to devise a remedy for such a disgraceful state of things, I would venture to suggest that Government be asked to appoint a Committee to learn the views of experienced and intelligent prison and police officers who are in almost daily contact with the prison population. I think there will be found a general consensus of opinion that repeated short sentences of imprisonment have no effect for good on habitual offenders."

Opinion of
Superintendent.

That the view thus expressed by the Chaplain that "repeated short sentences of imprisonment have no effect for good on habitual offenders," is very fully shared by the Superintendent of Grange-gorman Prison, will be seen from the following extract from a special report upon the subject called for from her, and the details of the case of one particular prisoner, "L. K.,"—appended, as a practical illustration of the evil commented on.

"I beg respectfully to inform you that the number of prisoners committed to this prison for the past year was excessively high, being over 8,000, and to draw your attention to the fact that this number includes a great many old offenders who were re-committed several times through the year, and generally for such short sentences as to deprive the imprisonment of the deterrent effect that longer ones might exercise.

"I have selected the names of a few of these old offenders, and submit them, with a short record of each. I may refer to one, "L. K." This woman was committed to this prison thirty-four times last year,* and never received a sentence for a longer term than fourteen days.

"One fact I would especially call your attention to is, that prisoners sentenced to one month and under are placed on first class diet for the first three days of the term; therefore a prisoner who, as frequently happens, receives four short sentences in a month spends twelve days on first class diet instead of three, as would be the case had she in the first instance been sentenced to a month's imprisonment.

"The short sentences have the effect of rendering the prisoners reckless and defiant; they often say they don't care what becomes of them, they are so tired of coming to prison. If they had longer sentences there would be a greater hope of their making an effort to do right on their release.

"I beg to add, that the numerous committals and discharges of the prisoners render the management of the prison extremely difficult. There have been frequently seventy committed on one night, and fifty have been discharged in one day."

It is obvious that such treatment of persistent offenders can have no effect, whether deterrent or reformatory, upon their future lives.

* In previous years, it will be seen, she was committed 146 times—making a total of 180 convictions in this one case.

PARTICULARS OF CASE OF PRISONER L. K.

Name.	Age.	Date.	By whom tried.	Offence.	Sentence.	Illustrative case of one Female Prisoner.
L. K.	32	6. 1. 88.	Magistrate.	Drunk and disorderly.	7 days.	
		14. 1. 88.	"	Drunk.	4 "	
		20. 1. 88.	"	Soliciting prostitution.	4 "	
		27. 1. 88.	"	Drunk.	4 "	
		34. 1. 88.	"	"	3 "	
		10. 2. 88.	"	"	4 "	
		17. 2. 88.	"	"	4 "	
		12. 3. 88.	"	Soliciting.	3 "	
		13. 3. 88.	"	Drunk.	4 "	
		21. 3. 88.	"	"	3 "	
		26. 3. 88.	"	"	4 "	
		3. 4. 88.	"	"	3 "	
		8. 4. 88.	"	"	4 "	
		10. 4. 88.	"	Drunk and disorderly.	48 hours.	
		14. 4. 88.	"	Drunk.	8 days.	
		17. 4. 88.	"	"	4 "	
		22. 4. 88.	"	"	4 "	
		10. 5. 88.	"	"	4 "	
		0. 7. 88.	"	Soliciting.	48 hours.	
		23. 7. 88.	"	Drunk and disorderly.	8 days.	
		0. 8. 88.	"	Drunk.	48 hours.	
		18. 8. 88.	"	"	3 days.	
		3. 9. 88.	"	"	24 hours.	
		8. 9. 88.	"	"	4 days.	
		24. 9. 88.	"	"	3 "	
		27. 9. 88.	"	"	4 "	
		10. 10. 88.	"	Assault and drunk.	14 "	
		26. 10. 88.	"	Drunk.	4 "	
		2. 11. 88.	"	Drunk and disorderly.	7 "	
		10. 11. 88.	"	Soliciting.	7 "	
		4. 12. 88.	"	"	7 "	
		19. 12. 88.	"	"	7 "	
		24. 12. 88.	"	Drunk and disorderly.	4 "	
		28. 12. 88.	"	"	4 "	

In 1888, . . . 34 times.

Previous years, . . . 140 "

Total, . . . 180 "

14. In the Appendix, pages 93-117, will be found the reports annually furnished by the respective Governors as to the industrial labour of various descriptions carried on in the several Local Prisons, showing in each case the daily average number of prisoners employed, the nature of their employments, and the profits obtained from them.

Industrial Labour.

In addition to these separate details we beg to submit the following summarised statement of the total profit realised on the

various descriptions of industrial labour in all the Prisons, during the two years 1887-8, and 1888-9 respectively, viz. :—

STATEMENT showing the Total Profit realized on the various descriptions of Industrial Labour carried on in the several Prisons during the years 1887-88 and 1888-9, respectively, viz. :—

I.—1887-8.

	£	s.	d.
Profits realized on manufactures, . . .	4,440	19	8
<i>Do.</i> , farm and garden, . . .	491	16	4
Total profit on productive services, . . .	4,932	15	10
Extra receipts, . . .	402	8	0
Total amount payable to the Exchequer, . . .	£5,335	8	10

II.—1888-9.

	£	s.	d.
Profits realized on manufactures, . . .	3,611	10	9
<i>Do.</i> , farm and garden, . . .	1,321	0	10
Total Profit on productive services, . . .	4,932	8	0
Extra receipts, . . .	447	18	8
Total amount payable to the Exchequer, . . .	£5,380	18	8

From these statements it will be seen that the total amount payable under this head to the Exchequer for the past year was £5,380 18s. 8d., as against £5,335 3s. 10d.—thus showing an increase of £45 14s. 7d. in the total profits realised during the last as compared with those of the preceding year.

It is to be observed that the return for the past year, as here given, includes an exceptional increase under the head of "farm and garden" receipts, owing to the discontinuance of the Convict Establishment at Lusk and the consequent disposal of stock and crops there—while on the other hand there was about a corresponding decrease under the head of "manufactures," resulting from the closing of Richmond Local Prison during the same period.

15. We refer to Table XIV. in Appendix for full particulars as to the offences and commitments of the important class of juvenile offenders—that is, prisoners whose ages do not exceed sixteen years—during the past year.

The figures as to this class for the past seven years stand as follows :—

Year,	Number of Commitments.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.
1886-9,	684	87	751
1887-8,	667	142	809
1890-7,	748	77	925
1885-6,	818	174	787
1884-5	742	83	825
1883-4,	824	106	930
1882-3,	918	152	1,065

From this table it will be seen that the large reduction of 116 in the number of commitments of this class, to which we had in our last report the satisfaction of making reference, has been followed by a further reduction of 58 for the present year—the number for which, viz., 751, is in fact the lowest recorded for any year included in the series—and falls short of that for 1882-3 by as many as 334, this being equivalent to a reduction of 30 per cent. within the septennial period—a result which we regard as being in every respect highly satisfactory.

16. From the subjoined Table, showing the number of commitments to prison for each of the last eleven years, it will be seen that the return for the present year, while falling below that for the year 1878-9 by 1,593, exceeds that for 1887-8 by the large number of 2,925—1,615, or considerably more than one-half of this increase being made up of the increase of commitments coming under the head of "Drunkenness"—by far the most fruitful source from which our ordinary prison population is now supplied and maintained.

No. of commitments to Prison.

See Table I.

The figures for the last eleven years are as under:—

Year.	No. of Commitments.	Year.	No. of Commitments.
1880-81,	46,704	1882-83,	35,484
1881-82,	40,779	1883-84,	41,088
1882-83,	40,794	1884-85,	40,182
1883-84,	39,554	1885-86,	44,889
1884-85,	37,839	1886-87,	45,997
1885-86,	35,721		

That this great social evil is extending, not contracting, is unhappily only too painfully established by our criminal records.

Increase of Drunkenness.

Out of 43,704, the number of commitments for the past year—as shown by the foregoing Table—the enormous proportion of 19,148, or not far short of one half of the entire number, was accounted for under this one head alone, as against 17,533 and 17,233, the numbers committed for this offence for the two previous years, 1887-8 and 1886-7, respectively.

17. We submit, as usual, the following three abstracts—the first two dealing with the number in custody on certain dates from 1851 to 1889, and the third showing the number of commitments and the daily average number in custody during each year since 1854.

[TABLE.]

Number is
marked in the
top left of
each page.

No. 1.—Stream or Runways (of all Channels) or Local Ponds in the
1st January in each year at which.

On 1st January, 1911.	1912	On 1st January, 1913.	1914
123456789101112131415161718192021222324252627282930313233343536373839404142434445464748495051525354555657585960616263646566676869707172737475767778798081828384858687888990919293949596979899100	123456789101112131415161718192021222324252627282930313233343536373839404142434445464748495051525354555657585960616263646566676869707172737475767778798081828384858687888990919293949596979899100	123456789101112131415161718192021222324252627282930313233343536373839404142434445464748495051525354555657585960616263646566676869707172737475767778798081828384858687888990919293949596979899100	123456789101112131415161718192021222324252627282930313233343536373839404142434445464748495051525354555657585960616263646566676869707172737475767778798081828384858687888990919293949596979899100

Stream is
marked in the
top left of each
page.

No. 2.—Stream of the Stream (of all Channels) or Local Ponds
on the 1st day of each Month in the Year it relates.

1月	2月	3月	4月	5月	6月	7月	8月	9月	10月	11月	12月
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No. 3.—COMMITMENTS (exclusive of Commitments under Civil Process) in the Thirty-five Years ended 31st March, 1889.

Number of commitments, daily averages, &c.

Years.	Number of Commitments.	Daily Average No. of Prisoners.	Years.	Number of Commitments.	Daily Average No. of Prisoners.
1854. .	60,445	5,700.9	1872. .	30,222	2,269
1855. .	48,446	4,418.3	1873. .	33,894	2,578
1856. .	48,718	3,580.6	1874. .	38,656	2,770
1857. .	39,666	3,273.4	1875. .	38,922	2,741
1858. .	33,999	2,894.6	1876. .	41,817	2,826
1859. .	32,142	2,605.4	1877. .	43,841	2,995
1860. .	30,712	2,525.8	1878-79	45,297	2,825
1861. .	30,087	2,631.8	1879-80	44,659	2,612
1862. .	32,159	2,895.9	1880-81	40,192	2,620
1863. .	33,940	3,028.7	1881-82	41,988	2,111
1864. .	32,870	2,843.1	1882-83	35,434	3,025
1865. .	32,731	2,716.8	1883-84	35,721	2,609
1866. .	29,097	2,559.4	1884-85	37,829	2,578
1867. .	30,067	2,540.6	1885-86	39,554	2,601
1868. .	29,501	2,180.6	1886-87	40,764	2,643
1869. .	29,879	2,123.8	1887-88	40,779	2,568
1870. .	32,370	2,277.8	1888-89	43,704	2,548
1871. .	31,129	2,224.8			

18. The following Table, dealing with the number of prisoners confined in Bridewells from 1850 to 1889, continues to show how great has been the change brought about in recent years with respect to the use of prisons of this minor class, and how large and continuous has been the reduction in the number of commitments to them, being, it will be observed, for the last year only 2,282—the lowest point reached since 1850, when it stood at the very high figure of 88,899.

Commitments to Bridewells.

No. CONFINED IN BRIDEWELLS.

No. confined in Bridewells for last 59 years.

Years.	Years.	Years.
1850 . . 88,899	1863 . . 21,053	1876 . . 4,689
1851 . . 85,080	1864 . . 20,563	1877 . . 5,576
1852 . . 69,860	1865 . . 20,556	1878-79 . . 4,256
1853 . . 58,563	1866 . . 18,447	1879-80 . . 4,247
1854 . . 48,358	1867 . . 15,964	1880-81 . . 3,888
1855 . . 38,002	1868 . . 14,137	1881-82 . . 3,810
1856 . . 33,534	1869 . . 13,510	1882-83 . . 3,913
1857 . . 31,504	1870 . . 15,801	1883-84 . . 3,668
1858 . . 27,424	1871 . . 10,268	1884-85 . . 3,337
1859 . . 25,296	1872 . . 7,823	1885-86 . . 3,047
1860 . . 23,421	1873 . . 5,732	1886-87 . . 2,424
1861 . . 20,168	1874 . . 6,704	1887-88 . . 2,669*
1862 . . 22,064	1875 . . 6,368	1888-89 . . 2,282*

* Excluding 130 commitments to Banks Lock-up in 1887-8, and 155 in 1888-9.

New Tables.

19. As in the three last annual Reports, and pursuant to the recommendation of the Royal Commission, in the Appendix will be found three new Tables :—

- (a) Table V., containing particulars of prisoners released from custody on medical grounds
- (b) Table VII., giving particulars relating to each case of insanity; and
- (c) Table XIII., showing cases in which mechanical restraint has been employed.

Health of Local prisoners.

20. The average daily number of prisoners in the Local Prisons in Ireland during the year was 2,648, and their health has been satisfactory. The number of deaths from natural causes was 6, giving a death rate of 2·27 per thousand on the daily average number in custody, the death rate per thousand for the whole of Ireland during the same period being 17·4. This death rate among prisoners, which is 2·8 per thousand less than that of last year, is the lowest that has been reached for ten years, as will be seen by the following Table of mortality among prisoners for each year of that period :—

Mortality.

YEAR.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners.	No. of Deaths.	Rate per Thousand.
1888-9,	2,648	6	2·27
1887-8,	2,638	13	3·07
1886-7,	2,843	9	3·19
1885-6,	2,801	10	3·54
1884-5,	2,373	10	3·08
1883-4,	2,699	11	4·03
1882-3,	3,025	7	2·31
1881-2,	3,111	18	5·78
1880-1,	2,679	14	5·24
1879-80,	2,812	28	8·13

The causes of death during the past year were :—Apoplexy, 2 cases; pneumonia, 2 cases; asthenia, 1 case; and syncope, 1 case.

Not only does the Table of deaths show a decrease as compared with last and previous years, but also that of prisoners released on medical grounds, the number of whom last year was 60, as compared with 73 in 1887-8, and as there has been an increase in the prison population during the year, these figures are all the more satisfactory. It will be seen from Table VII., that two-thirds of the diseases on account of which these prisoners were released are reported to have originated before their reception into prison.

Insanity.

The number of cases of insanity dealt with in Local Prisons during last year was the same as the year before, viz. :—85. Of these 48 are reported by the prison medical officers as insane on committal; the mental condition of 20 being reported as "not good," "eccentric," "indifferent," "melancholic," "becoming imbecile," of "low intellect," or as being

"fairly good" or "doubtful," while of the remaining 17 at least 4 are reported to have been previously insane.

The Board have again to express their regret that many of these cases were not sent direct to the Lunatic Asylums in accordance with the provisions contained in 30 & 31 Vic., cap. 118, s. 10.

21. In Table XXI. we take leave to submit in full detail a statement of the various works of reconstruction and repair, &c., undertaken under the superintendence of our Architect during the past year in the different classes of prisons, distinguishing between those (A) executed by contract labour, and those (B) carried out by prison labour.

Works of
Reconstruction
and Repair, &c.
Table xxi.

22. The following is a return of the number of meetings held by the several Committees of Visiting Justices, and of visits paid to the prisons by individual members during the past year, viz. :—

Visiting Com-
mittees.

RETURN AS TO VISITING COMMITTEES, 1888-89.

PRISONS.	Number of Meetings of Visiting Committee of each Prison for Year ended 31st March, 1889, at which a quorum was present.	Number of Visits paid by individual Members of Visiting Committee on Official Business in Year ended 31st March, 1889.	PRISONS.	Number of Meetings of Visiting Committee of each Prison for Year ended 31st March, 1889, at which a quorum was present.	Number of Visits paid by individual Members of Visiting Committee on Official Business in Year ended 31st March, 1889.
LARGER PRISONS.			LARGER PRISONS—continued.		
Armagh,	3	2	Sligo,	5	21
Belfast,	9	10	Tralee,	3	17
Castlesbar,	—	—	Tullamore,	10	13
Glenmel,	14	20	Waterford,	5	29
Cork, Male,	13	241	Wexford,	11	8
Cork, Female,	8	8			
Dundalk,	—	20	SMALL PRISONS.		
Galway,	2	8	Carriek-on-Shannon,	1	10
Grangegorman,	3	22	Drogheda,	—	—
Kilkenry,	4	19	Enniskillen,	—	—
Kilmainham,	17	28	Maltingar,	—	—
Limerick, Male,	11	312	Omagh,	—	—
Limerick, Female,	1	7	Wicklow,	—	8
Londonderry,	13	9			
Mountjoy,	2	2			

There is a general increase observable under both heads, as compared with the preceding year—an increase especially observable in regard to the visits of individual members to certain of the larger prisons where prisoners under the Criminal Law and Procedure Act have been confined.

We have again to record with satisfaction our sense of the important services performed by some of these bodies, and of the valuable practical assistance these have afforded to the Board and the Prison Officers in the discharge of their respective duties.

23. The Certified Prisoners' Aid Societies in existence at the date of our last Report were, as given in paragraph 20, four in number—viz., one in Belfast, and three in Dublin. To this, we

Prisoners' Aid
Societies.

regret to say very meagre list, one other has been since added—viz.:—"The Dublin Male Discharged Catholic Prisoners' Aid Society," for which a certificate was granted by the Chief Secretary on the 11th March, 1889.

With this exception the observation on this subject with which we took leave to conclude paragraph 37 of our Eighth Annual Report continues, we regret to add, to be equally applicable on the present occasion.

II.—CONVICT PRISONS.

24. Mountjoy (No. 1), Maryborough, and Downpatrick Prisons continue to be used for male convicts exclusively, and the female prison of Grangegorman is still, as hitherto, devoted to the two-fold purposes of a Convict and Local prison, as already explained.

Accommodation

25. The accommodation afforded for the convict class on the 31st March, 1889, by the four Prisons appropriated to this purpose may be estimated at 712, viz.:—

Mountjoy, No. 1,	485
Maryborough,	116
Downpatrick,	55
Grangegorman,	56
Total,	712

Number in custody.

The number of convicts in custody at that date was:—

—	Male.	Female.	Total.
In Convict Prisons,	443	41	484
In Local Prisons,	1	—	1
Gross total of Convicts in Custody on 31st March, 1889,	444	41	485

The number of convicts sentenced to penal servitude during the year ending 31st March, 1889, was:—

—	Males.	Females.	Total.
5 years,	37	4	41
7 "	21	—	21
10 "	6	—	6
15 "	1	—	1
18 "	1	—	1
20 "	1	—	1
Life,	4	2	6
Gross Total sentenced during year,	71	6	77

Disposal of convicts during the year ending 31st March, 1889:—

—	Males.	Females.	Total.
Discharged from Prisons:—			
On Orders of Licence,	121	12	133
On Commutation of Sentence,	1	2	3
On Completion of Sentence,	17	2	19
	139	16	155

Of the above number discharged during the year 17 males and 7 females had previously been released on licence under the same sentences, but had forfeited their licence and been recommitted to prison, and 3 female convicts were transferred from Prison to Refuge.

The number of female convicts discharged on licence to be at large from Refuges during the year was 6.

The number of female convicts in Refuges during the year ending 31st March, 1889, was 18. Of these 2 had undergone previous sentences of penal servitude, and 1 of them had been previously in a Refuge.

The Revocations and Forfeitures of Licences in Ireland during the year ended 31st March, 1889, were as follow:—

—	Males.	Females.	Total.
Forfeited or revoked for breach of conditions of Licence,	1	1	2
Forfeited or revoked in consequence of a conviction for other offences,	9	5	14
Gross Total,	10	6	16

TABLE showing the number of Convicts in "Custody," "Convicted," and "Discharged," since the year 1854, inclusive.

In custody on January 1st.			Year.	Convicted.	No. Discharged.
M.	F.	Total.		M. and F.	M. and F.
—	—	*3,933	1854	710	658
3,097	330	3,427	1855	516	520
2,590	619	3,209	1856	383	1,167
1,971	643	2,614	1857	326	910
1,603	674	2,277	1858	358	946
1,285	488	1,773	1859	322	595
1,187	444	1,631	1860	331	524
1,076	416	1,492	1861	358	561
933	381	1,314	1862	302	517
1,138	437	1,575	1863	511	325
1,297	471	1,768	1864	407	391
1,272	504	1,776	1865	269	410

* In addition to this number there were 345 convicts under detention in the county prisons, and several hundreds in Bermuda and Gibraltar, who were subsequently discharged in Ireland.

TABLE showing the number of Convicts in "Custody"—continued.

In custody on January 1st.			Year.	Convicted.	No. Discharged.
M.	F.	Total.		M. and F.	M. and F.
1,158	479	1,637	1866	265	439
906	436	1,431	1867	298	530
916	419	1,335	1868	246	245
922	403	1,325	1869	191	291
878	352	1,230	1870	246	255
865	333	1,228	1871	219	253
872	323	1,195	1872	301	255
833	310	1,143	1873	228	250
844	289	1,133	1874	221	229
852	261	1,133	1875	241	239
867	281	1,128	1876	192	196
891	264	1,155	1877	188	243
876	233	1,114	1878	184	250
819	212	1,031	1879*	54	70
724	177	901	1879-80	154	281
689	148	837	1880-81	123	211
694	110	804	1881-82	209	218
793	105	898	1882-83	289	161
782	88	870	1883-84	145	161
754	82	836	1884-85	157	184
700	68	768	1885-86	99	197
566	68	632	1886-87	97	248
524	54	578	1887-88	109	162
466	46	512	1888-89	77	155

* To 31st March.

Diminution of
Numbers.

From the foregoing table it will be observed that there has been for many years a gradual diminution in the number of convicts both of male and female committed, and more especially is that decline perceptible since the local and convict prisons have been placed under one central control. On the 1st January, 1877, the male convicts in custody numbered 891, and the female, 264, whereas at the same period this year these numbers respectively were 466 and 46. This very satisfactory state of things we largely attribute to the deterrent influence and improved management of both Local and Convict Prisons since the passing of the Prisons Act of 1877.

New Tables.

26. In addition to the three new tables added in 1886 to the Appendix—as referred to in paragraph 15 of Report for that year—the following have also been introduced with respect to the convict class, viz. :—

I. Table XXVII.—Particulars relating to each death occurring in the Convict Prisons.

II. Table XXVIII.—Particulars of convicts released on medical grounds.

III. Table XXXI.—Particulars relating to each case of insanity.

IV. Table XXXVIII.—Cases in which mechanical restraint was used.

27. It will be seen from Table XXVII. that there were only two deaths—one from inflammation of the bowels, the other from bronchitis—among convicts during the past year, which represents the very low death-rate of 3·8 per thousand, considering the class from which convicts are drawn. Five convicts were released during the year on medical grounds, as against seven in the year before. The number of cases of insanity has also fallen from thirteen to ten.

Health of
Convicts.

Death-rate.

Release on
medical
grounds.

Insanity.

The new water supply to Maryborough Prison, to which reference was made in paragraph 25 of last year's Report, has proved, so far, thoroughly successful, and when certain supplementary work now in hands in connexion with the prison drainage has been completed, the sanitary arrangements of this establishment will be in all respects quite satisfactory.

Water supply.

Drainage.

28. In paragraph 27 of last year's Report reference was made to the still suspended project of a new Public Works Prison in substitution for that of Spike Island; but, for the reasons already detailed in paragraph 5 of this Report, it is obvious that the circumstances of the present time at least are entirely adverse to embarking in a scheme of such magnitude, and which, under the most favourable conditions, must necessarily entail on the Exchequer a very considerable expenditure of public money, for which at present there would be no justification.

Proposed Public
Works Prison.

29. The following are the principal works of building and construction at which the male convicts have been employed during the past year, viz. :—

Works of
building and
construction.

I.—MOUNTJOY.

The erection of twenty-three houses for warders on ground in front of the prison has been continued during the year, and is now in an advanced state, the joinery and plastering being now the chief work required for their completion. The erection of these houses has provided labour for a large number of convicts, and, when completed, there will be a considerable saving in the lodging allowance now made to subordinate officers.

A new storehouse for both prisons is in process of erection. Owing to the new system of storekeeping, recently introduced, this addition had become an imperative necessity. Various necessary alterations and repairs have been done in both prisons. An execution shed and dead-house have been built in connexion with the local prison; water-closets erected adjacent to the exercise rings, and workshops and worksheds erected and fitted up for local prisoners, &c., &c.

II.—MARYBOROUGH.

The construction of additional cottages for the accommodation of married warders and their families—a work of much importance, as regards the comfort and convenience of the staff—is being still proceeded with, as stated in last Report, and arrangements are being made, at the same time, for effecting certain further improvements in connexion with the prison drainage, conformably with an understanding come to with the Queen's County Infirmary authorities on the subject.

III.—DOWNPATRICK.

As already pointed out, no field now remains in connexion with this temporary prison for the erection of any further structural or other works of an important character. As a consequence of this, it is to be regretted that the employment of the special class of convicts in confinement there is necessarily restricted at the present time to such comparatively light industries as tailoring, shoemaking, woodcutting, stonebreaking, and garden cultivation, in combination, of course, with the usual routine duties of the Establishment.

Mountjoy
Bakery.

30. In paragraphs 29 and 30 of preceding Report we referred to the fact of our having successfully constructed, with convict labour, and brought into practical operation, a bakery in connexion with Mountjoy Prison for the supply of bread both to that and the other Dublin Prisons.

We further adverted to the circumstance that in addition to obtaining by this arrangement an article greatly superior in quality to that previously supplied by contract, the first year's operations had resulted in yielding a clear net saving of £690 8s. 3d.

We have on the present occasion to observe, on the same subject that while the excellent quality of the bread, as then described, has been since fully maintained, the yearly saving returned from this source has increased from £690 8s. 3d. to £1,058 15s. 1d.,—i.e., the cost of the bread, if obtained by contract at the usual price, would have amounted to £1,058 15s. 1d. more than was, under every head, expended in the production of it.

Female
convicts.

31. In each of our three last annual Reports we were enabled to refer to the very striking and gratifying decline observable in the number of our female convict population. On a comparison of the statistics of the past and present time, we have on this occasion the satisfaction of reporting a still further reduction under this head—54, the number given for last year, having since fallen to 46.

The total number of female convicts remaining in confinement at the close of the present year—31st March—was distributed thus:—

In Grangegorman Prison,	41
" Golden Bridge R.C. Refuge,	7
" Protestant Shelter,	4
Total,	52

Select Classes.

32. We have in previous Reports had the satisfaction of bearing favourable testimony to the practical results of the present system of forming in each of our Convict Prisons a "Select Class," composed exclusively of convicts convicted for the first time and in other respects eligible for this distinction, and we are able on the present occasion to repeat this tribute of approval to the excellence of the arrangement in protecting the less hardened class of prisoners from the evils of association with old and habitual offenders. The antecedents of each convict who becomes eligible for this Class are very carefully inquired into before he or she is permitted to join it.

These classes consisted during the past year of the following numbers, viz. :—

In Mountjoy, 110, of whom 28 incurred punishment during the year.

At Maryborough, 19, of whom 2 were punished.

At Grangegorman, 12, of whom 1 was once punished.

33. The visitors for last year to Dublin Convict Prisons, as well as those for Maryborough and Downpatrick, have been re-appointed for the present year, and we have only here to repeat the testimony offered by us in paragraph 32 of last Report, to the very favourable working everywhere of this arrangement.

Visitors of
Convict
Prisons.

34. In last year's Report, page 21, we had occasion to refer to certain provisional alterations which had been found necessary in connexion with our Dietaries, and with respect to which we had recommended that before their final adoption the entire of the existing Tables should be again revised by the Committee originally constituted for this purpose, viz., Dr. Robert M'Donnell, Dr. Grimshaw, and Dr. MacCabe, with the addition of Dr. Plunkett O'Farrell, the medical member of the Board.

Local and
Convict Prison
Dietaries.

The lamented death of Dr. M'Donnell has, we greatly regret to say, prevented the realization of our expectations as to this; but we anticipate that the Government will at an early date be in a position to act upon our recommendations, by substituting the name of another member for that of the late experienced Chairman of the Committee.

III.—REGISTRATION OF CRIMINALS.

35. In the Appendix will be found the usual statistical returns relating to the registration of criminals, brought down to the close of last year.

It will be seen from the subjoined table that the number of habitual criminals photographed and registered during the past year, under the provisions of the Act 39 & 40 Vict., c. 23, was 160, and that the total number so registered and photographed since 1869, the date of the first Habitual Criminals Act, 32 & 33 Vict., cap. 99, amounts to 9,927, viz. :—

RETURN showing the Number of Habitual Criminals registered in:—

Year.	No.	Year.	No.
1870,	607	1st January, 1869, to 31st March, 1869,	265
1871,	1,056	1869-70,	224
1872,	519	1870-71,	189
1873,	1,113	1871-72,	184
1874,	1,023	1872-73,	171
1875,	953	1873-74,	206
1876,	954	1874-75,	230
1877,	409	1875-76,	158
1878,	279	1876-77,	160
1879,	305	1877-78,	
		Total,	9,927

Alphabetical
Register.

A new edition of the "Alphabetical Register of Habitual Criminals," brought down to the close of 1888, has been prepared and issued for general use since the date of our last Report. As to the scope and great practical utility of this compilation it is only necessary to refer to our third and fourth Annual Reports. It is also most satisfactory to observe the very sensible reduction in this class during the last ten years.

IV.—DEPARTMENTAL.

In paragraph 34 of last year's Report we detailed the several changes in our departmental arrangements that had taken place during the preceding year, since which time there has been nothing further to record under this head in connexion with our office.

V.—APPENDIX.

36. We beg to refer to the Appendix for the several Tabular Returns, Official Reports, and Circulars, &c., usually submitted with our annual Reports.

We have the honour to be

Your Excellency's obedient faithful servants,

CHARLES F. BOURKE,

Chairman.

W. P. O'BRIEN,

Vice-Chairman.

GEORGE PLUNKETT O'FARRELL,

M.A. M.D.

APPENDIX

TO

ELEVENTH REPORT OF GENERAL PRISONS BOARD, IRELAND, FOR THE YEAR 1888-9.

CIRCULARS AND CIRCULAR MEMORANDA.

5646/88.

CIRCULAR No. 348.

To the Governors of the several Local Prisons in Ireland.

The General Prisons Board hereby direct that, whenever a prisoner who has been returned for trial, becomes insane, and is sent from prison to a lunatic asylum, you will at once inform both the Crown Solicitor and the Sessional Crown Solicitor of the fact.

By order,

F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

NEW RULE ISSUED 18th JULY, 1888.

By the General Prisons Board for Ireland.

In pursuance of the General Prisons (Ireland) Act, 1877, the General Prisons Board for Ireland do hereby direct that the General Rules for the Government of Prisons, dated the 22nd day of March, 1878, shall be altered as follows, that is to say:—The 49th of the said Rules is hereby annulled, and in lieu thereof it is hereby ordered:

49. The Governor may, by writing under his hand, provisionally permit a prisoner to be attended by a minister of any religious denomination, other than the religious denominations which, respectively, have a Gaol Chaplain or Chaplains attached to the Gaol, under such regulations as may from time to time be established. The Governor, whenever he grants such permission, shall at once forward a full report of the circumstances of the case to the General Prisons Board, who may withdraw or suspend such permission as they may think fit.

Made and executed this 17th day of April, 1888, by "The General Prisons Board for Ireland."

CHARLES F. BOURKE, Chairman.

{Seal.]

By the Lords Justices and Privy Council in Ireland.

EDWARD SAXE-WEIMAR, General.

HEDGES EYRE CHATTERTON.

[JOHN T. BALL.

In pursuance of the General Prisons (Ireland) Act, 1877, We, the Lords Justices General and General Governors of Ireland, with the approval, advice, and consent of the Privy Council of Ireland, have

settled and hereby approve of the foregoing Rule made by the General Prisons Board for Ireland.

Given at the Council Chamber, Dublin Castle,
this 30th day of April, 1888.

Ashbourne, O.

Abercorn.

Peter O'Brien.

10018.

17th September, 1888.

CIRCULAR No. 351.

JEWISH HOLYDAYS.

To the Governors of H.M. Prisons.

The General Prisons Board hereby direct that, in future, all Jewish prisoners shall be exempted from labour on the Festivals of:—

Passover,
Pentecost,
New Year (two days),
Day of Atonement, and
Tabernacles (four days),

in addition to the Jewish Sabbath, and the general Prison holydays.

In every instance the remission from labour commences on the previous afternoon at 6 o'clock.

The holydays occurring during the remainder of the year 1888 are—the 20th, 21st, 27th, and 28th instant (Tabernacles).

You will be duly informed, each year, of the dates on which the above Festivals are to be observed.

By order,

F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

10360/88.

20th September, 1888.

CIRCULAR No. 352.

VISITORS SLEEPING WITHIN A PRISON.

To the Governors of H.M. Prisons (Local).

With reference to Rule No. 4 of the "General Rules for Prisoners," the General Prisons Board direct that the Governor, availing himself of this Rule, shall at once report the circumstances to the Board, giving the name and particulars of the Visitor to whom the permission referred to in the Rule has been granted.

By order,

F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

10396/88.

20th September, 1888.

CIRCULAR No. 353

WEIGHING OF PRISONERS.

To the Governors of H.M. Prisons.

The General Prisons Board direct that in future all prisoners whose sentences amount to one month or upwards, shall be weighed on discharge as well as on reception, and that their weights shall be recorded in the proper Prison Books.

Prisoners shall invariably be weighed in the clothing of their class, but without cap or shoes.

The Governor is requested to take steps at once, to have all the Prison scales and weights tested by the Inspector of weights and measures for the District (unless this has recently been done), and to report the result to this office.

By order,

F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

10899/88.

20th September, 1888.

CIRCULAR No. 354.

APPLICATIONS FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

To the Governors of H.M. Prisons.

The General Prisons Board direct that in future, when submitting an application from any officer for leave of absence, you will, in addition to the information already required to be furnished in such cases, further inform the Board what other officers—if any—are absent on leave at the time.

The Board also direct that all applications for leave shall, if possible, be made a week at least before the leave is required.

By order,

F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

CIRCULAR MEMO.

25th September, 1888.

To Governors of H.M. Prisons (Local).

The General Prisons Board direct that one of the forms of "*Daily List of Visitors to Prisoners*," sent to you herewith, shall in future be attached to the "*Daily State*," and shall contain the required particulars as to every visitor admitted to see a Prisoner.

By order,

F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

____ Prison. DAILY LIST OF VISITORS TO PRISONERS.

(To be attached to Daily State.)

Date.	Name of Prisoner.	Class of Prisoner.	When Committed.	Name of Visitor.	Authority for Visit. [Prisoner entitled, or other authority.]

Signed _____ Governor or
Officer in Charge

Date _____

2191/88.

28th September, 1888.

SIR,—I am desired by the Chairman of the General Prisons Board to inform you that on the occurrence of vacancies among the Chaplains of the Prisons Service the scale of salaries sanctioned by the Treasury for them is fixed as follows:—

* Daily Average No. of Protestant, Roman Catholic, or Presbyterian Prisoners, as the case may be.

Salary.

Under 25,	£40 per annum.
Over 25 to 60,	60 " "
Over 60 to 120,	80 " "
Over 120,	100 " "

* The daily average number of prisoners to be taken for three years preceding date of new appointment.

I am, &c.,

R. LEWIS,

For Clerk in Charge of Accounts.

The Governor ——— Prison.

19 & 20 Victoria,

RETURN of PRISONERS under SPECIAL MEDICAL TREATMENT, whether in

Reg. No.	Name.	Age.	Height.	On Reception.			Date of Conviction.
				Weight in pounds without hat and shoes.	State of Health.	Physical Condition.	

10977/88.

24th October, 1888.

CIRCULAR MEMO.

To the Governors, &c., of H.M. Prisons.

Complaints having from time to time reached the Board from local traders as to the failure of certain Prison officers to discharge debts incurred for necessaries, &c., supplied for their use, it is now deemed advisable to issue a general caution on this subject for the information of all concerned.

It cannot be doubted that it is owing to the official position held by

3404.

12th October, 1888.

CIRCULAR No. 355.

To the Governors of H.M. Local Prisons.

The General Prisons Board direct that, in future, Medical Officers of Local Prisons shall furnish to the Board, on forms such as are forwarded herewith, a Weekly Return of Prisoners under Special Medical Treatment. You will please have the columns in the Form under the words—Reg. No., Name, Age, Height, Weight, &c., Date of Conviction, and Sentence, filled up on each occasion for the Medical Officer, who is requested to fill up the remaining columns himself.

As this Return will include Prisoners on change of diet or extra diet, the Return heretofore furnished under Circular No. 163, may be discontinued.

You will please inform the Medical Officer accordingly.

By order, F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

cap. 68, sec. 16.

HOSPITAL or CELL in H.M. PRISON at _____ for the Week ending 188

Sentence.	Change of Diet and Extras.	Labour.	Plank Bed or Mattress.	Exemptions.	Grounds for such Exemptions, and special remarks or instructions by the Medical Officer.

Signature of Medical Officer, _____

Date, _____

them that the officers referred to obtain the credit extended to them; and under the circumstances the Board cannot, with due regard to the character and interest of the service, disregard such appeals when addressed to them by the parties aggrieved.

They have accordingly to request that it may be conveyed to the several members of your Staff that, in the future, the Board will consider it necessary to deal very seriously with any cases brought to their notice in which a Prison officer has failed, without a valid excuse, to discharge the debts locally contracted by him.

By order, W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

12,329.

29th November, 1888.

CIRCULAR MEMO.

To the ——— Convict Prison.

The General Prisons Board direct that you submit every six months (in January and July) a return in form below, together with the Penal Records of all convicts in your custody under forfeiture or revocation of Licence, who may be undergoing terms of penal servitude equal to the portion of their sentences of penal servitude that remained unexpired when they were released on Licence.

By order, F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

Registered No.	Name.	Date of Reception back into Convict Prison.	Date on which due for Discharge.

13100.

19th December, 1888.

CIRCULAR No. 356.

POSTAGE OF PRISONERS' LETTERS.

To the Governors, or other Officers in charge of H.M. Prisons.

The attention of the General Prisons Board having been drawn to certain irregularities in connection with this subject, they direct that, in future, the postage of all letters from *Untried Prisoners* transmitted through the Post shall be paid out of the prisoners' private cash, if they have any; otherwise such letters are to be forwarded unstamped.

The postage on letters from all *Convicted Prisoners* is to be prepaid, and the amounts deducted from the prisoners' gratuities.

All letters shall be carefully closed before leaving the Prison.

By order, F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

7th January, 1889.

To the Governors of H.M. Prisons.

With reference to Circular No. 351, I am directed to forward, for your information and guidance, a copy, subjoined, of a letter from the Office of the Council of the United Synagogue, conveying the dates of the Jewish Holydays for the current year.

By order, F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

Office of the Council of the United Synagogue,
2 Charlotte-street, Portland-place, W.
London, Jan. 3rd, 1889.

DEAR SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Jewish Holydays for the current year—days on which Jewish Convicts or inmates of prisons and gaols are expected to be exempt from labour—are as follows:—

Passover,	4 days	April 16th, 17th; 22nd & 23rd.
Pentecost,	2 "	June 5th & 6th.
New Year,	2 "	September 26th & 27th.
Day of Atonement	1 "	October 5th.
Tabernacles,	4 "	October 10th, 11th; 17th & 18th.

In every instance the remission from labour commences on the previous afternoon, except in the case of Passover, which commences at noon on the day previous.

I have, &c.,
Signed, N. OENSTERN, Clerk.

The Secretary, General Prisons Board,
Dublin Castle.

239.

9th January, 1889.

To the Governors of H.M. Prisons.

I am directed by the General Prisons Board to transmit to you, for the information of the officers of the prison under your charge, the subjoined copy of a Treasury minute dated 29th November, 1888, on the subject of Civil Servants and Directorships of Companies.

By order, F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

(Copy.)

The First Lord and the Chancellor of the Exchequer call the attention of the Board to the recommendations made by the Royal Commission upon Civil Establishments in paragraph 100 of their second Report:—

"Upon the special point of directorships of companies being held by members of the Civil Service, we call attention to a paper banded in by Mr. Meade, printed in the Appendix, p. 429. The extract from the Treasury minute of 27th March, 1849, there printed, does not appear to us to go so far as is desirable; nor has it been made obligatory on the whole Civil Service.

"We approve of the rule laid down by the Colonial Office, viz.:—

"No permanent officer of the establishment of the Colonial Office is to be at liberty to take part in any way in the management of any insurance society, or any trading, commercial or financial company of whatever description. This prohibition not to apply to any insurance or benefit society, restricted to members of the Civil Service, and we think that it should be embodied with other general regulations in an Order in Council, and made applicable to all permanent civil servants. We call attention also to the correspondence on this subject between the Treasury and the Home Office in 1877-8, which is also printed in the Appendix."

The Report of the Commissioners is, as their Lordships know, at present under consideration; but as some short time may elapse before the views of Her Majesty's Government are declared, the First Lord and the Chancellor of the Exchequer advise that the heads of departments should be requested to

inform their officers that no person holding a permanent post in their several departments can be permitted to accept a directorship of a public company pending publication of the decision at which Her Majesty's Government may arrive upon the recommendation to which the First Lord and the Chancellor of the Exchequer have invited the Board's attention.

It should be noted that rules are already in force forbidding officers of the Treasury and Colonial Office to take directorships.

My Lords concur.

12th January, 1889.

CIRCULAR MEMORANDUM.

To the Governors or other Officers in charge of H.M. Prisons.

You are hereby directed to request the Medical Officer, on the committal of any prisoner whom he considers it necessary to exempt from any of the Prison Rules, to immediately make an entry in his journal to that effect, giving the medical reasons for such exemption.

You will, by the first post, transmit to the Board a copy of the entry, accompanied by the L. P. C. Sheet of the prisoner.

By order, F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

21st January, 1889.

CIRCULAR MEMORANDUM.

To the Governors or other Officers in charge of H.M. Prisons.

I am directed by the General Prisons Board to inform you that, since the issue of Circular Memo. of 12th instant, they have approved, in the case of several prisons, of the Governor extracting the required particulars from the "Medical Officer's Inspection Book," that officer having found it more convenient to give in that book the reason of the prisoner's exemption from any of the ordinary Prison Rules applicable to his class.

By order, F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

22nd February, 1889.

MEMO.

The Governor, H.M. Prison.

The Board direct that in future you will be very careful, when a Visiting Justice has made any entry in the Visitors' Book, to lay it before the Visiting Committee, as required by section 26 of the Prisons Act of 1877, and you will point out this statutory provision to any Justice who may visit the prison.

By order, F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

15th March, 1889.

CIRCULAR No. 357.

The Governors of H.M. Larger Prisons.

The Board direct that you will instruct the Chief Warders of the Minor Prisons for which you account, to communicate in future directly to the Board on all pressing matters, and on matters of discipline—not on matters of finance—for which latter business you, as sub-accountant, are responsible.

By order, F. W. D. MITCHELL, Secretary.

TABLES.

TABLE I.—NUMBER of COMMITMENTS to LOCAL

NAMES OF PRISONS.	COMMITTED.																	
	At Assizes and Quarter Sessions.				Summarily.				Under Revenue Laws.		Under Poor Law Act.		Under Vagrancy Act.		Drunkards.		By Court-Martial.	Deserters.
	Found Guilty.	Found Insane.			Offences under Larceny Act.	Misdemeanours.			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	M.
Larger Prisons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	M.
Armagh,	58	16	1	-	63	25	408	145	0	-	8	2	34	17	408	218	8	0
Belfast,	111	23	4	-	258	180	1473	758	20	38	8	5	118	34	2008	1407	8	74
Castlereagh,	18	4	-	-	16	3	274	54	14	5	3	1	3	2	90	34	1	-
Cloomb,	18	-	-	-	23	-	274	-	1	-	21	-	10	-	208	-	7	3
Cork, Male,	68	-	1	-	100	-	7	-	4	-	34	-	88	-	1821	-	41	16
Cork, Female,	-	25	-	1	-	50	-	506	-	-	-	4	-	57	-	550	-	-
Dundalk,	28	-	1	-	47	-	170	-	12	-	8	-	23	-	123	-	16	5
Galway,	55	5	-	-	22	0	382	60	24	7	10	-	19	5	140	33	4	-
Georgogorman,	-	77	-	2	-	130	-	3648	-	-	-	3	-	136	-	3811	-	-
Kilkenny,	40	-	-	-	33	-	217	-	8	-	8	-	16	-	233	-	27	4
Kilmahara,	59	-	3	-	113	-	771	-	8	-	8	-	365	-	523	-	18	70
Limerick, Male,	48	-	-	-	47	-	804	-	-	-	-	-	51	-	683	-	2	13
Limerick, Female, . . .	-	11	-	-	-	30	-	220	-	8	-	-	-	70	-	314	-	-
Londonderry,	109	10	-	-	63	20	534	50	19	2	0	4	43	100	583	303	10	4
Mountjoy,	116	-	3	-	133	-	9870	-	4	-	1	-	150	-	2716	-	17	-
Sligo,	31	2	-	-	41	8	294	41	3	1	18	2	11	30	228	87	2	1
Tralee,	35	6	1	1	19	7	383	61	1	-	20	8	9	2	173	51	1	-
Tullamore,	25	10	1	-	41	16	217	63	8	-	24	7	19	11	222	71	8	17
Waterford,	23	0	1	-	33	32	353	257	-	-	8	4	7	16	637	268	-	18
Wexford,	43	3	1	-	23	10	161	23	-	-	21	3	7	6	57	16	-	3
Smaller Prisons.																		
Carriock-on-Shannon, .	-	-	-	-	1	1	18	0	-	-	0	-	-	-	66	19	1	-
Drogheda,	-	-	-	-	-	2	59	24	-	-	2	-	0	7	114	20	-	7
Enniskillen,	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	84	26	-	6
Mullingar,	-	-	-	-	2	-	38	17	-	-	2	-	3	3	87	30	-	-
Omagh,	-	-	-	-	3	1	18	1	-	-	2	-	2	3	153	22	23	2
Wicklow,	-	-	-	-	2	1	29	7	1	-	1	1	3	2	64	13	16	6
Total, Males,	888	-	18	-	1100	-	9309	-	136	-	108	-	554	-	11618	-	193	333
Total, Females, . . .	-	201	-	4	-	504	-	3331	-	43	-	30	-	553	-	7330	-	-
Total, M. and F., . .	1,689		22		1,604		12,640		182		237		1,415		18,948		193	333

Prisoners from 1st April, 1883, to 31st March, 1889.

		NOT CONVICTED.						Untried Prisoners in Custody on 31st March, 1889.		Debtors or under Civil Process.		TOTAL COMMITMENTS.			NAMES OF PRISONS.
TOTAL.		Acquitted on Trial.		For Further Examination, Remanded, and Discharged.		TOTAL.									
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M. & F.	Larger Prisons.
1,183	428	16	4	34	8	100	13	5	1	3	-	1,278	438	1,714	Armagh.
4,107	2,526	40	12	243	84	285	70	22	2	13	1	4,477	2,538	7,015	Belfast.
410	106	5	-	76	14	81	14	3	-	-	-	500	190	690	Candlebar.
329	-	11	-	73	-	87	-	7	-	2	-	724	-	724	Clongmal.
2,180	-	30	-	167	-	203	-	10	-	10	-	2,422	-	2,422	Cork, Male.
-	1,273	-	13	-	24	-	37	-	-	-	-	-	1,310	1,310	Cork, Female.
424	-	6	-	44	-	50	-	4	-	3	-	481	-	481	Dundalk.
680	143	9	4	73	8	87	12	9	1	1	-	763	153	916	Galway.
-	3,103	-	30	-	143	-	170	-	12	-	-	-	3,354	3,354	Grangegorman.
380	-	13	-	70	-	83	-	9	-	-	-	631	-	631	Kilkenny.
1,200	-	63	-	380	-	643	-	49	-	12	-	2,090	-	2,090	Kilmainham.
1,373	-	15	-	194	-	209	-	9	-	1	-	1,792	-	1,792	Limerick, Male.
-	730	-	2	-	34	-	36	-	5	-	-	-	731	731	Limerick, Female.
1,372	534	4	0	55	9	90	13	8	0	7	1	1,447	308	2,003	Londonderry.
6,010	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	6,017	-	6,017	Mountjoy.
627	171	6	3	53	8	61	8	3	-	-	-	691	179	870	Sligo.
644	132	8	-	154	10	163	10	11	-	-	-	817	141	958	Tralee.
872	187	12	1	82	4	94	5	5	3	1	-	922	193	1,115	Tullamore.
1,073	583	0	5	53	17	58	22	1	1	4	-	1,333	598	1,931	Waterford.
310	62	2	2	20	2	27	4	-	-	1	1	514	67	581	Wexford.
															Smaller Prisons.
52	23	6	2	50	9	58	11	-	-	-	-	148	37	185	Carriek-on-Shan.
179	70	-	-	16	-	16	-	2	1	-	-	197	71	268	Drogheda.
138	34	-	-	53	4	53	4	2	-	-	-	183	38	221	Keshkilleen.
183	50	-	-	117	15	117	15	1	-	-	-	250	65	315	Mullingar.
203	33	-	-	67	20	67	20	2	-	9	-	281	53	334	Omagh.
110	25	-	-	31	13	31	13	2	-	-	-	140	38	178	Wicklow.
25,178	-	231	-	2,321	-	2,552	-	104	-	79	-	26,000	-	-	Total, Males.
-	15,268	-	93	-	403	-	403	-	32	-	3	-	15,786	-	Total, Females.
40,433		321		2,724		3,073		193		82		43,798			Total, M. and F.

* Exclusive of 1,013 prisoners committed to Kilmainham Prison on remand, but who, after conviction, were committed to Mountjoy Prison, to undergo their sentences and are included in the "Commitments" to the latter prison.

TABLE II.—NUMBER of PRISONERS in each PRISON on the First Day

NAMES OF PRISONS.	1st April, 1888.			1st May, 1888.			1st June, 1888.			1st July, 1888.			1st August, 1888.			1st September, 1888.		
	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.
Larger Prisons.																		
Armagh, . . .	69	28	96	63	28	108	82	34	116	78	28	106	81	28	110	50	49	115
Belfast, . . .	295	107	402	323	134	457	308	165	473	336	103	439	372	184	556	373	200	573
Castlebar, . . .	24	8	32	43	7	50	28	7	35	40	10	50	23	11	34	38	12	50
Ckamel, . . .	57	—	57	64	—	64	88	—	88	78	—	78	55	—	55	71	—	71
Cork, Male, . . .	177	—	177	210	—	210	204	—	204	170	—	170	208	—	208	211	—	211
Cork, Female, . . .	—	81	81	—	72	72	—	89	89	—	87	87	—	88	88	—	88	88
Dundalk, . . .	64	—	64	68	—	68	100	—	100	99	—	99	92	—	92	98	—	98
Galway, . . .	45	18	63	28	18	46	69	16	85	57	16	73	68	18	86	64	10	74
Grangeoverman, . . .	—	177	177	—	243	243	—	280	280	—	227	227	—	278	278	—	218	218
Kilkeny, . . .	79	—	79	60	—	60	127	—	127	116	—	116	88	—	88	148	—	148
Kilmainham, . . .	128	—	128	172	—	172	146	—	146	128	—	128	173	—	173	173	—	173
Limerick, Male, . . .	92	—	92	116	—	116	108	—	108	122	—	122	93	—	93	107	—	107
Limerick, Female, . . .	—	28	28	—	44	44	—	25	25	—	28	28	—	38	38	—	37	37
Londonderry, . . .	108	28	136	122	30	152	145	32	177	111	28	139	50	40	90	124	50	174
Mountjoy, . . .	249	—	249	278	—	278	301	—	301	274	—	274	310	—	310	278	—	278
Sligo, . . .	82	20	102	77	28	105	82	18	100	88	19	107	55	21	76	41	19	60
Trillick, . . .	44	8	52	30	8	38	30	9	39	30	12	42	44	9	53	28	8	36
Tullamore, . . .	36	16	52	30	28	58	31	21	52	40	16	56	33	28	61	28	19	47
Waterford, . . .	41	24	65	38	23	61	34	26	60	32	37	69	31	31	62	28	42	70
Wexford, . . .	36	1	37	17	8	25	27	4	31	28	8	36	28	4	32	31	8	39
Smaller Prisons.																		
Car-on-Shannon, . . .	2	—	2	1	—	1	—	2	2	1	2	3	—	3	3	—	2	2
Drogheda, . . .	0	4	4	4	2	6	8	1	9	5	—	5	3	2	5	8	1	9
Enniskillen, . . .	2	1	3	—	—	—	1	1	2	2	—	2	1	—	1	2	—	2
Mullingar, . . .	3	—	3	3	—	3	1	—	1	5	1	6	—	—	6	3	—	3
Omagh, . . .	2	1	3	1	1	2	2	—	2	2	2	4	—	—	4	2	—	2
Wicklow, . . .	8	—	8	8	—	8	4	1	5	4	2	6	—	—	6	4	—	4
Total, 1888-89,	1638	818	2456	1947	871	2818	1990	684	2674	1916	693	2609	1932	704	2718	2608	816	3374

of each Month during the Year ended 31st March, 1889 (at Lock-up).

1st October, 1888.			1st November, 1888.			1st December, 1888.			1st January, 1889.			1st February, 1889.			1st March, 1889.			NAME OF PRISON.
M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	
Larger Prisons.																		
74	28	112	83	31	114	88	33	91	81	27	108	73	08	81	63	29	09	Armagh.
350	140	470	570	153	552	528	147	511	369	113	487	322	140	405	303	140	438	Belfast.
36	0	36	28	12	40	28	8	36	28	7	35	31	0	31	31	3	37	Castlebar.
64	-	64	08	-	08	38	-	38	57	-	57	48	-	48	44	-	44	Clonmel.
227	-	227	100	-	100	231	-	231	229	-	229	160	-	160	181	-	181	Cork, Male.
-	92	92	-	70	70	-	81	81	-	77	77	-	73	73	-	68	68	Cork, Female.
102	-	102	86	-	86	98	-	98	88	-	88	81	-	81	76	-	76	Dundalk.
37	12	70	77	10	83	86	18	71	63	10	69	57	0	60	52	18	78	Galway.
-	388	388	-	305	305	-	298	298	-	120	120	-	238	238	-	204	204	Grangegorman.
140	-	140	132	-	132	132	-	132	108	-	108	110	-	110	98	-	98	Kilkeenny.
145	-	145	141	-	141	133	-	133	148	-	148	150	-	150	138	-	138	Kilmajinham.
113	-	113	136	-	136	90	-	90	07	-	07	160	-	160	88	-	88	Limerick, Male.
-	28	28	-	63	63	-	52	52	-	49	49	-	32	32	-	42	42	Limerick, Female.
105	48	189	115	43	180	127	44	171	163	60	176	118	24	124	107	23	204	Londonderry.
254	-	254	230	-	230	230	-	230	203	-	203	280	-	280	273	-	273	Mountjoy.
82	14	76	54	18	69	58	11	69	42	14	56	47	15	62	43	18	63	Sligo.
33	11	39	42	14	56	48	13	33	48	7	55	37	0	37	58	4	62	Tralee.
82	32	114	76	17	93	39	38	103	79	38	116	69	21	90	84	13	07	Tullamore.
68	33	103	38	40	93	45	28	64	35	24	59	20	35	55	41	34	82	Waterford.
40	25	38	42	23	65	30	20	70	34	10	64	30	10	40	38	10	43	Wexford.
Smaller Prisons.																		
0	-	0	1	-	1	8	-	8	7	-	7	4	0	4	8	-	8	Car-on-Shannon.
2	1	3	10	2	12	5	-	5	1	-	1	-	4	4	3	1	6	Drogheda.
4	-	4	1	-	1	-	-	-	8	-	8	1	0	1	-	-	-	Emiskillen.
2	1	3	3	1	4	-	1	1	12	-	12	1	1	2	2	-	2	Mullingar.
2	-	2	5	-	5	1	3	4	4	-	4	2	-	2	7	8	19	Omagh.
6	-	6	-	-	-	2	-	2	5	-	5	1	-	1	1	1	2	Wicklow.
301	342	643	2653	300	3353	1826	773	2738	1022	860	2502	1834	831	2367	1824	824	2448	Total, 1888-89.

TABLE III.—DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER of PRISONERS IN CUSTODY, &c., &c., from 1st April, 1888, to 31st March, 1889.

Names of Prisons.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners, exclusive of Debtors and those under Civil Process.			Highest Number confined at any one time (both Sexes).		Lowest Number confined at any one time (both Sexes).		Highest Number of Male Prisoners confined at any one time.		Highest Number of Female Prisoners confined at any one time.		Lowest Number of Male Prisoners confined at any one time.		Lowest Number of Female Prisoners confined at any one time.	
	M.	F.	Total.	No.	Date.	No.	Date.	No.	Date.	No.	Date.	No.	Date.	No.	Date.
Larger Prisons.															
Armagh,	71	21	102	128	14:10	72	19:3	34	14:10	40	5:5	45	12:3	21	18:1
Belfast,	84.8	152	488	518	23:8	403	2:4	407	30:3	214	20:3	204	23:3	107	2:4
Castlereagh,	34	7.33	41.33	67	28:3	29	3:1	38	27:3	10	12:10	22	3:1	5	3:4
Clenmel,	64	-	34	34	21:11	48	28:2	34	21:11	-	-	45	23:2	-	-
Cork, Male,	198	-	183	243	3:8	184	11:3	243	9:8	-	-	153	11:3	-	-
Cork, Female,	-	82	82	143	7:7	54	28:4	-	-	143	7:7	-	-	84	28:4
Dundalk,	80	-	80	120	17:11	37	3:1	120	17:11	-	-	37	3:1	-	-
Galway,	64.42	14.36	79	103	16:11	66	18:9	63	27:10	24	19:11	44	16:9	8	2:1
Grangegorm,	-	219	226	263	23:5	158	25:12	-	-	263	23:5	-	-	158	25:12
Kilkenney,	113	-	113	179	3:10	77	2:4	172	3:10	-	-	77	2:4	-	-
Kilmainham,	144.5	-	144.5	190	24:8	104	17:3	190	24:8	-	-	104	17:3	-	-
Limerick, Male, . . .	103	-	103	148	8:11	62	13:4	148	8:11	-	-	62	13:4	-	-
Limerick, Female, . .	-	42.75	42.75	72	8:11	31	18:7	-	-	72	8:11	-	-	31	18:7
Londonderry,	122	33	155	220	12:1	113	6:8	187	12:1	37	6:10	60	13:3	10	2:4
Mountjoy,	291.23	-	291.23	350	6:10	183	6:2	350	6:10	-	-	183	6:2	-	-
Sligo,	61.5	10	67.5	104	28:4	39	17:3	83	3:4	24	1:5	32	17:3	7	16:3
Tralee,	39.74	3.33	41.7	30	27:6	30	8:9	38	27:6	20	23:5	24	8:9	6	16:2
Tullamore,	62.63	21.38	84.24	124	10:1	47	2:4	98	10:1	39	24:11	35	2:4	9	4:3
Waterford,	51	34	85	128	27:9	63	22:4	73	21:7	62	13:10	38	24:13	21	18:4
Wexford,	68	0.5	47.5	77	6:10	21	24:7	33	1:1	26	7:13	13	26:7	2	1:4
Smaller Prisons.															
Carriek-on-Shan, . . .	3.3	.63	4.43	41	12:12	-	12:4	34	12:12	5	6:12	-	12:4	-	12:4
Drogheda,	4.76	1.4	3.13	18	13:10	-	27:7	14	13:10	10	27:9	-	27:7	-	27:7
Enniskillen,	1.03	.38	1.11	36	11:3	-	1:8	25	11:3	8	2:1	-	1:8	-	1:8
Mullingar,	3.3	1.4	3.2	13	22:7	-	11:4	14	9:1	7	22:7	-	11:4	-	11:4
Omagh,	4.1	.9	5	13	12:3	-	19:7	11	12:3	4	10:2	-	19:7	-	9:1
Wicklow,	4	1	5	13	23:10	-	13:7	17	24:10	4	21:8	-	13:7	-	19:7
Total, 1888-89, . . .	2,025.84	722.1	2,448.74	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total, 1887-88, . . .	1,507.42	638.65	1,828.53	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE IV.—DEATHS IN LOCAL PRISONS and their Causes from 1st April, 1888, to 31st March, 1889.

(A).—Deaths exclusive of Executions.

Prison in which Death occurred.	No.	Initials of Deceased.	Age.	Sex.	Cause, &c., of which Death resulted or alleged.	Date of Commencement.	Date of Death.	Disease, &c., which caused Death.	Whether Disease originated before or after reception into Prison.	General Health on reception into a Local Prison.	Number of former Convictions.	Previous Occupation.
Chesham,	1	A. B.	40	M.	Scalding	10: 8: 88.	10: 8: 88.	Scalding	After	Fair	10	Charwoman.
Edinburgh,	1	M. P.	40	M.	A chronic disease	10: 8: 88.	1: 18: 88.	A chronic disease	Before	Very good	10	Labourer.
Exeter,	1	M. P.	70	M.	Accident, the person	10: 8: 88.	8: 8: 88.	Exhaustion and compression of left lung.	After	Good	10	do.
		A. B.	40	M.	Made a charge of medicine	10: 12: 88.	11: 11: 88.	Acute Pneumonia	do.	Fair	11	do.
Monthly,	2	J. B.	70	M.	Found on the ground	1: 12: 88.	1: 12: 88.	Apoplexy	do.	Exhausted and debilitated	14	Chickadee.
Waterford,	1	M. G.	40	M.	Overworked	10: 12: 88.	10: 12: 88.	Apoplexy	After	Fair (suffering from the effects of drink when committed).	8	Labourer.
Total,	5											

(B).—Executions.

Edinburgh,	1	A. B.	40	M.	Strangulation	1: 12: 88.	1: 12: 88.	Executed by hanging	—	Good	8	Convicted Labourer.
		D. B.	40	M.	do.	1: 12: 88.	1: 12: 88.	do.	—	do.	8	do.
Exeter,	2	D. B.	40	M.	do.	1: 12: 88.	1: 12: 88.	do.	—	do.	10	do.
		J. B.	40	M.	do.	1: 12: 88.	1: 12: 88.	do.	—	do.	10	do.

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TABLE V.—PARTICULARS OF PRISONERS RELEASED ON MEDICAL GROUNDS FROM LOCAL PRISONS DURING THE YEAR ended 31st March, 1888.

[See Paragraph 126 of Report of Royal Commission, 1884.]

Place of Prison.	Sex.	Build of Prisoner.	Date of Reception.	Crime.	Reason.	Age of Prisoner.	Disease on account of which released (as proved by Medical Officer).	Whether cleared up—i.e., whether cured since reception.
Armagh, . . .	M.	P. M.	8. 1. 88.	Cattle stealing.	Quarrel.	18. 1. 88.	Furunculosis.	Before.
" . . .	M.	W. M.	8. 1. 88.	Larceny and livery.	2 years, H. L.	17. 1. 88.	General debility.	After.
Belfast, . . .	M.	L. G.	18. 3. 88.	L. Assault. H. Assault.	4 G. M., 10 L. L., and 1 G. M., H. L.	18. 3. 88.	Pharyngitis and stomatitis.	Before.
" . . .	M.	W. W.	18. 3. 88.	Exposing his person.	4 G. M., H. L.	4. 3. 88.	Mental debility.	Before.
" . . .	M.	2. W.	14. 3. 88.	Shoplifting.	4 G. M., H. L.	14. 3. 88.	Debility and congestion of lungs.	After.
" . . .	M.	G. G.	8. 3. 88.	Violent behaviour.	24 days, H. L.	18. 3. 88.	Acute pyæmia.	After.
" . . .	M.	L. G.	18. 3. 88.	Assault.	4 G. M., H. L.	14. 3. 88.	Mental depression of spirits and wasting.	After.
" . . .	M.	H. L.	8. 10. 88.	Shoplifting.	1 G. M.	18. 10. 88.	Typhoid fever.	After.
" . . .	M.	G. G.	4. 12. 88.	Shoplifting.	2 G. M.	14. 12. 88.	Fever dyspepsia.	After.
" . . .	F.	A. M. G.	18. 3. 88.	4 charges of assault.	7 G. M.	9. 1. 88.	Pyæmia.	Before.
Cork, . . .	M.	M. G.	18. 4. 88.	Assault.	20 days, H. L.	18. 4. 88.	Acute rheumatism.	After.
Down, . . .	M.	L. G.	18. 4. 88.	Assault police.	4 G. M., 10 L. L.	18. 4. 88.	Typhoid fever.	Before.
" . . .	M.	L. G.	18. 5. 88.	Do.	4 G. M., 10 L. L.	18. 5. 88.	Do.	Before.
" . . .	M.	H. L.	8. 10. 88.	Charged with stealing on 1st day.	Receiv.	2. 11. 88.	Heart disease and jaundice.	Before.

Ort, Miss.	M.	J. B.	II. 5. 00.	Break of Peking Lary.	I G. M., or G.	5. 10. 00.	Respiration and character of food.	Before.
"	M.	J. B.	II. 5. 00.	Days.	1 year minimum.	15. 4. 00.	Respiration and activity.	Before.
Ort, Paula.	F.	J. B.	II. 11. 00.	Larynx.	I G. M., R. L.	5. 4. 00.	Acute and bronchial attack.	After.
Franklin.	M.	J. A.	II. 5. 00.	Respiratory.	I G. M., R. L.	17. 7. 00.	Chronic bronchitis.	Before.
"	M.	J. B.	II. 5. 00.	Taking part in a criminal	I M.	18. 8. 00.	In consequence of the state of his	Before.
"	M.	J. B. C.	II. 10. 00.	larynx.	I G. M., R. L.	17. 1. 00.	breath (suffocating).	Before.
"	M.	J. B. C.	II. 10. 00.	Larynx.	I G. M., R. L.	17. 1. 00.	Chronic bronchitis.	Before.
Galley.	M.	J. B.	4. 3. 00.	Taking part in an unlawful	I G. M.	4. 5. 00.	Chronic and degeneration of lung,	After.
"	F.	J. B.	8. 1. 00.	activity.	I G. M., R. L.	15. 1. 00.	probably tubercular, and	Before.
"	F.	J. B.	8. 1. 00.	Respiratory system.	I G. M., R. L.	15. 1. 00.	Respiratory and joint health.	Before.
Granger, Mrs.	F.	G. B.	9. 12. 00.	Larynx.	I G. M.	15. 7. 00.	Pulmonary connection.	Before.
"	F.	G. B.	9. 12. 00.	Respiratory and activity.	I G. M., and 4 days.	12. 11. 00.	Respiratory action of the heart.	Before.
"	F.	M. B.	12. 10. 00.	Acute, badly born.	I G. M.	15. 1. 00.	Pregnancy.	Before.
"	F.	M. B.	12. 10. 00.	Larynx from the parent.	I G. M.	1. 1. 00.	Pulmonary connection and	Before.
"	F.	M. B.	12. 10. 00.	Larynx from the parent.	I G. M.	1. 1. 00.	activity.	Before.
"	F.	M. B.	12. 10. 00.	Larynx from the parent.	I G. M.	1. 1. 00.	Pregnancy.	Before.
"	F.	M. B.	12. 10. 00.	Larynx from the parent.	I G. M.	1. 1. 00.	Defective.	After.

* These patients presented incubation symptoms from date of admission.

TABLE V, continued.—PARTICULARS OF PAROSOMA RELEASED ON MEDICAL GROUNDS FROM LOCAL PAROSOM during the Year ended 31st March, 1939.

Name of Parosom.	Sex.	Initials of Patient.	Date of Reception.	Crime.	Reason.	Date of Release.	Phases of recovery of which released (as stated by Medical Officer).	Whether disease might recur or after reception.
Elkenny,	M.	T. H.	1. 4. 38.	Swagging,	18 M., R. L.	1. 13. 38.	Parosoma	After.
Elmshelm,	M.	J. H.	19. 3. 38.	Larceny,	Remitted.	12. 8. 38.	Paralytic attack.	Before.
Liverpool, Mrs.,	M.	J. D.	1. 2. 38.	Larceny,	12 G. M., R. L.	25. 3. 38.	Depress, agitation and retention of urine.	Before.
"	M.	D. D.	24. 4. 38.	Assault,	1 M., R. L.	24. 4. 38.	Automatic and spilling of blood.	Before.
"	M.	J. O. B.	29. 4. 38.	Unlawful assembly,	1 M., R. L.	4. 5. 38.	Engorgement of the glands of the neck.	Before.
"	M.	J. H.	20. 5. 38.	Unlawful assembly,	1 M.	4. 5. 38.	Loudness and retention.	Before.
"	M.	J. L.	22. 1. 39.	Assault,	1 G. M., R. L.	28. 1. 39.	Over-acting heart, raised blood.	Before.
"	M.	J. H.	24. 10. 38.	Intoxication,	1 M.	27. 10. 38.	Chronic cataplexy.	Before.
"	M.	B. F.	18. 10. 38.	Larceny,	1 G. M., R. L.	27. 12. 38.	Retention of urine.	After.
Liverpool, Francis,	F.	B. D.	15. 4. 38.	Drunk and disorderly,	1 M. and 14 days R. L.	1. 12. 38.	Debility from alcohol and dyspepsia.	Before.
"	F.	A. H.	2. 11. 38.	Larceny,	1 G. M., R. L.	2. 12. 38.	Prostatic acid.	After.
"	F.	E. B.	17. 10. 38.	Drunk and disorderly,	1 G. M., R. L.	27. 12. 38.	Weakness from alcohol.	Before.
"	F.	E. B.	27. 10. 38.	Larceny,	1 G. M., R. L.	2. 1. 39.	Chronic attack and weak heart.	After.
"	F.	C. D.	28. 1. 39.	Vagrancy,	1 G. M., R. L.	5. 2. 39.	Fluor parosoma.	After.

Londonderry.	M.	T. B.	22. 4. 55.	Disengagement of debt.	42 days.	7. 7. 55.	Examination of heart, weight, and composition of limbs.	Before.
	M.	J. B.	27. 4. 55.	Amount and use strength.	4 G. M., ball.	18. 7. 55.	Arteries and chronic bronchitis.	Before.
	M.	A. B.	28. 4. 55.	Taking part in a criminal conspiracy.	4 G. M.	22. 8. 55.	Excretion.	After.
	M.	J. T.	20. 1. 56.	Accounting & dwelling-house.	10 G. M., H. L.	23. 9. 55.	General ability.	Before.
Monaghan.	M.	J. K.	26. 5. 55.	Breakfast and evening.	21 days, H. L.	4. 2. 56.	Epileptic fits.	Before.
	M.	W. J. W.	8. 12. 55.	Property.	4 G. M., H. L.	1. 2. 56.	Heart disease.	Before.
	M.	J. B.	7. 9. 55.	Accounting.	4 G. M., H. L.	22. 11. 55.	Arteries.	Before.
	M.	J. B.	27. 9. 55.	Excretion.	4 G. M., ball.	20. 12. 55.	Pharynx.	Before.
Sligo.	M.	C. B.	2. 12. 55.	Unusually rapid action for delivery of goods.	4 G. M., H. L.	18. 1. 56.	Pharynx, etc.	Before.
	M.	J. C.	25. 4. 56.	Discharge.	14 days, H. L.	27. 5. 56.	Tubercular disease of heart.	Before.
	M.	C. M. B.	25. 4. 56.	Discharge of Court.	Remand.	28. 4. 56.	Excretion, nervous, weak heart, epilepsy.	Before.
	M.	M. B.	25. 4. 56.	Discharge of Court.	To be brought before the Court when required.	28. 4. 56.	Formation and chronic nature.	Before.
Waterford.	M.	H. G.	4. 2. 56.	Excretion evening.	22 G. M., H. L.	22. 4. 56.	Emphysema of lungs.	After. No sign of improvement in delicate health before reception.
	M.	T. G. H.	23. 4. 56.	Excretion etc.	4 G. M., H. L.	23. 7. 56.	Examination the result of seven-hour time studies etc.	Before.

TABLE V., continued.—PARTICULARS OF PRISONERS RELEASED ON MEDICAL GROUNDS FROM LOCAL PRISONS during the Year ended 31st March, 1858.

Rank or Name.	Sex.	Initials of Prisoner.	Date of Reception.	Crime.	Reason.	Date of Release.	Disease on account of which released (as stated by Medical Officer.)	Whether disease originated before or after reception.
Wheatley, . . .	M.	W. R. E. B.	24. 8. 46.	Indiscretion, . . .	3 months imprisonment.	13. 11. 46.	Insomnia and loss of appetite, . . .	Absent.
" . . .	F.	M. M.	22. 12. 46.	Larceny, . . .	2 G. M., 2 L., . . .	27. 12. 46.	Weak heart, . . .	Absent.
Doughdale, . . .	F.	C. C.	2. 8. 46.	Drunkenness, . . .	7 days R. L., or 14 days, in 40. cells.	16. 9. 46.	Debility, . . .	Before.
Mallings, . . .	F.	B. G.	21. 7. 46.	Drunkenly, . . .	7 days R. L., or 14 days, in 40. cells.	20. 7. 46.	Labor pain, with vomiting, . . .	Absent.
<p style="text-align: right;">M. F. M. & F.</p> <p>Total Number released on medical grounds, . . . 22, 18, 40.</p>								

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TABLE VI.—Cases of SICKNESS amongst PRISONERS, from 1st April, 1888, to 31st March, 1889, in the under-mentioned Local Prisons.

LOCAL PRISONS.	Number in Prison Hospital.		Daily average Number in Hospital.		Number of Cases of Illness or Disease prescribed for out of Hospital.		Greatest Number Sick at any one time in and out of Hospital, excluding Lunatics.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Armagh, . . .	7	2	15	04	891	152	7	6
Belfast, . . .	84	13	19	06	3,084	1,028	27	14
Castlebar, . . .	—	—	—	—	240	48	2	1
Clonmel, . . .	32	—	13	—	742	—	4	—
Cork, Male, . .	143	—	0	—	1,991	—	16	—
Cork, Female, .	—	140	—	3	—	1,005	—	7
Dundalk, . . .	2	—	20	—	678	—	14	—
Galway, . . .	24	21	181	90	670	459	15	11
Grangegorman, .	—	407	—	10.43	—	4,700	—	65
Kilkenny, . . .	6	—	3	—	1,094	—	22	—
Kilmainham, . .	42	—	178	—	1,416	—	10	—
Limerick, Male, .	30	—	89	—	1,008	—	7	—
Limerick, Female, .	—	174	—	47	—	394	—	6
Londonderry, . .	24	4	50	3	1,310	176	11	4
Mountjoy, . . .	3,002	—	8.58	—	3,712	—	51	—
Sligo, . . .	6	—	25	—	406	144	7	3
Trillick, . . .	3	—	24	—	530	120	6	5
Tullamore, . . .	25	10	208	85	419	112	7	4
Waterford, . . .	18	10	4	4	484	928	8	7
Wexford, . . .	24	5	6	13	387	78	7	3
Total, Males, . .	3,484	—	24.78	—	18,010	—	216	—
Total, Females, .	—	785	—	16.08	—	9,168	—	125
Total, M. and F., .	4,269		41.78		27,177		340	

TABLE VII.—PARTICULARS of each case of INSANITY (amongst Prisoners)
[See Paragraph 136 of Report]

NAME OF PRISON.	Sex.	Initials of Name.	Age Yrs.	Crime.	Sentence.	Dates.		Mental Condition.	
						Of Com-mittal.	Of transfer to Prison named in col. 1.	On Com-mittal.	On transfer to Prison named in col. 1.
Larger Prisons.									
Armagh.	F.	B. P.	21	Murder.	To be kept as a criminal lunatic till Her Majesty's pleasure be known.	27. 3. 88	-	Weak.	-
	M.	P. S.*	23	Assault, &c.	Remand.	2. 5. 88	-	Insane.	-
	M.	P. S.*	25	do.	1 cal. month, and 3 cal. months, H.L.	27. 5. 88	-	Recovered	-
	M.	J. C.	26	Attempt to commit suicide.	Remand.	4. 5. 88	-	Insane.	-
	M.	M. M.	65	Vagrancy.	14 days, H.L.	5. 5. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	J. C.	62	Assault, &c.	Remand.	29. 5. 88	-	do.	-
Belfast.	M.	S. D.	30	Manslaughter.	Detention during pleasure of L. L.	1. 6. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	J. D.	37	Indecent assault.	do.	4. 10. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	F. B.	33	Assault.	Remand.	28. 11. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	J. L.	32	Murder.	Detention during pleasure of L. L.	7. 11. 88	1. 12. 88	-	Insane.
	M.	M. C.	35	Murder.	do.	29. 11. 88	4. 12. 88	-	do.
	M.	W. S.	22	Assault.	6 cal. months	24. 11. 87	-	Sane.	-
	M.	C. M'E.	29	Arson.	Detention during pleasure of L. L.	28. 2. 89	-	Doubtful.	-
	M.	C. D'V.	35	Assault and threats.	Remand.	16. 4. 88	-	Insane.	-
Castlesbar.	F.	S. W.	34	Threatening language.	1 cal. month or bail	17. 2. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	D. C.	28	Assaulting his mother.	6 cal. months, H.L., and 3 months or bail.	1. 11. 88	-	Weak.	-
Clonmel.	M.	D. M.	65	Grievous assault.	8 cal. months, H.L.	15. 12. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	J. D.	62	Placing stones on railway.	18 cal. months, H.L.	19. 7. 88	-	Intellect of low type.	-
Cork (Male).	M.	J. H.	34	Malignous damage.	1 month, or £2 2s.	26. 5. 88	-	Low.	-
	M.	D. B.	28	Murder.	Untried.	11. 9. 88	-	Low, and placed under observation.	-
	M.	J. B.	19	Wounding.	12 months, H.L.	7. 12. 87	-	Placed under observation.	-

* Both these records refer to the same person.

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of Royal Commission, 1884.]

Whether previously insane.	Length of imprisonment previous to first symptoms of insanity (in cases originating in Prison named in col. 2).	Form of Insanity.	Education.	Occupation previous to Conviction.	Termination of Case.			
					Recovered in Prison named in col. 1.	Removed to Asylum or another Prison.	Name of Asylum or Prison and Date of Removal.	Died Remaining in Prison named in col. 1.
No.	Not known.	Dementia.	R. & W.	None.	-	Asylum.	(Before trial) Armagh, 2. 5. (After trial) Dandrum, 16. 7.	-
Yes.	-	Mania.	do.	Labourer.	-	do.	Armagh, 9. 5.	-
do.	-	do.	do.	do.	-	do.	do., 5. 9.	-
Not known.	-	Dementia.	do.	do.	-	do.	Downpatrick, 10. 5.	-
do.	-	do.	do.	do.	-	do.	Monaghan, 16. 5.	-
Yes.	-	Dementia.	do.	Farmer.	-	do.	Downpatrick, 6. 9.	-
do.	-	Idiocy.	Illiterate.	Labourer.	-	do.	Dandrum, 20. 7.	-
do.	-	Acute mania.	do.	Nil.	-	do.	Downpatrick, 12. 10.	-
do.	-	Hemiplegic mania.	R. & W.	Blacklayer.	-	do.	Belfast, 29. 11.	-
Not known.	-	Mania.	do.	Labourer.	-	do.	Dundrum, 17. 12.	-
do.	-	do.	do.	Farmer.	-	do.	do., 17. 12.	-
do.	4½ months.	Acute mania.	do.	Labourer.	-	do.	Belfast, 21. 4.	-
Reported so	-	Showed no symptoms of insanity while here.	Head.	Farmer.	-	do.	Dundrum, 30. 3.	-
Yes.	-	Religious mania.	R. & W.	Shopkeeper.	-	do.	Castlebar, 21. 4.	-
Not known.	-	do.	do.	Dressmaker.	-	do.	Bailinacree, 2. 3.	-
Unknown.	-	Dementia.	do.	Labourer.	-	do.	Coomel, 20. 12.	-
do.	-	do.	Illiterate.	None.	-	do.	do., 8. 3.	-
do.	-	do.	do.	Labourer.	-	do.	†	Yes.
No.	10 days.	Dementia and imbecility.	R. & W.	Farmer.	-	do.	Cork District, 7. 6.	-
No.	17 days.	Melancholia.	do.	Labourer.	-	do.	do., 1. 10.	-
Not known.	7 months & 20 days.	Dementia.	do.	Farmer's son.	-	do.	Killarney, 20. 7.	-

† Was removed to Croom's Lunatic Asylum on 1st April, 1885.

TABLE VII.—PARTICULARS of each case of INSANITY (amongst Prisoners) in

NAME OF PRISON.	Sex.	Initials of Name.	Age Yrs.	Crime.	Sentence.	Dates.		Mental Condition.	
						Of Committal.	Of transfer to Prison named in col. 1.	On Committal.	On transfer to Prison named in col. 1.
Larger Prisons—con.									
Cork (Female).	F.	M. C.	20	Charged with concealment of birth	Detention during pleasure of L.L.	14. 6. 88	—	Good.	—
	F.	M. G.	28	Found sleeping out in the open air.	2 months, H.L.	28. 8. 88	—	Fairly good.	—
	F.	M. H.	44	Assault.	Remand.	14. 9. 88	—	do.	—
	F.	M. C.	29	Obscene language.	1 cal. month or 41s. and 14 days or 21s.	21. 1. 89	—	do.	—
Dundalk.	M.	P. H.	82	Wounding.	2 years, H.L.	28. 1. 88	14. 2. 88	Good.	Good.
	M.	J. L.	82	Man-slaughter.	For trial.	7. 11. 88	—	Not good.	—
Galway.	F.	A. H.	80	Assault, &c.	Untried.	14. 2. 88	—	Insane.	—
	M.	M. D.	85	Trespass.	2 cal. months, or bail.	3. 6. 88	—	do.	—
	M.	M. C.	17	Begging.	1 cal. month, H.L.	7. 8. 88	—	do.	—
	M.	J. K.	70	Assault and threats.	1 month or bail.	22. 10. 88	—	do.	—
Grangegorman.	F.	E. W.	37	Drunk and disorderly.	1 cal. month or 40s.	20. 6. 88	—	do.	—
	F.	F. A. D.	41	Attempt suicide.	Detention during pleasure of L. I.	12. 7. 88	—	do.	—
	F.	K. C.	18	Infanticide.	do.	2. 8. 88	—	do.	—
	F.	K. K.	14	Larceny.	6 cal. months, H.L.	1. 8. 88	—	Doubtful.	—
	F.	M. B.	22	Malignant injury.	12 cal. mos., H.L.	13. 1. 88	—	Insane.	—
	F.	C. M.	88	do.	2 cal. months, H.L.	22. 9. 88	—	do.	—
	F.	M. B.	25	Larceny.	3 cal. months, H.L.	27. 10. 88	—	Doubtful.	—
	F.	K. B.	28	Drunkenness.	1 cal. month, or 40s.	22. 11. 88	—	do.	—
Kilkenny.	M.	W. M.	20	Cattle stealing.	3 cal. months, H.L.	24. 10. 87	2. 11. 87	—	Sane.
	M.	J. C.	30	Malignant damage.	Untried.	9. 8. 88	—	Insane.	—
	M.	E. C.	25	Larceny.	3 cal. months, H.L.	13. 8. 88	23. 8. 88	—	Sane.
Kilmainham.	M.	T. M.	20	Attempt suicide.	Remand.	15. 8. 88	—	Not good.	—
	M.	J. C.	31	Larceny.	18 cal. months.	17. 8. 88	—	Ordinary.	—
	M.	J. H.	73	do.	Detention during pleasure of L. I.	2. 11. 88	—	Insane.	—
	M.	W. H. D.	88	Malignant libel.	do.	22. 1. 89	—	Indifferent.	—

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Whether previously insane.	Length of imprisonment previous to first symptoms of insanity (in cases originating in Prison named in col. 1).	Form of Insanity.	Education.	Occupation previous to Conviction.	Termination of Case.				
					Recovered in Prison named in col. 1.	Removed to Asylum or another Prison.	Name of Asylum or Prison and Date of Removal.	Died.	Remaining in Prison.
No.	27 days.	Melancholia.	R. & W.	Servant.	-	Asylum	Cork, 28. 7.	-	-
Yes.	-	Dementia.	do.	Prostitute.	-	do.	do., 9. 9.	-	-
do.	-	do.	do.	H-keeper.	-	do.	do., 19. 9.	-	-
do.	-	do.	Nil.	Prostitute.	-	do.	do., 12. 2.	-	-
Unknown.	7½ months.	Acute mania.	Read.	Dealer.	-	Asylum.	Downpatrick, 25. 9.	-	-
Yes.	On committal.	Epileptic.	Illiterate.	Labourer.	-	do.	Dundrum, 17. 12.	-	-
Unknown.	-	Dementia with delusions.	do.	None.	-	do.	Ballinacree, 20. 6.	-	-
Yes.	-	Chronic mania with delusions.	R. & W. well.	Clerk, Ireland Revenue.	-	do.	do., 28. 6.	-	-
Unknown.	-	Amentia.	Illiterate.	Labourer.	-	do.	do., 6. 10.	-	-
do.	-	Senile dementia.	do.	Small farmer.	-	do.	do., 18. 11.	-	-
Yes.	-	Subacute mania.	R. & W.	Nil.	-	do.	Richmond, 18. 7.	-	-
-	-	Melancholia.	do.	Servant.	-	do.	Dundrum, 23. 7.	-	-
-	-	Imbecility.	Nil.	Nil.	-	do.	do., 10. 6.	-	-
Yes.	About 3 wks.	Suicidal mania.	R. & W.	Nil.	-	do.	Richmond, 6. 10.	-	-
do.	-	Paroxysmal mania.	do.	Prostitute.	-	do.	do., 18. 10.	-	-
do.	-	Recurrent mania.	do.	Laundress.	-	do.	Belfast, 25. 10.	-	-
do.	10 days.	do.	Nil.	Prostitute.	-	do.	Richmond, 12. 11.	-	-
No.	14 days.	Mania.	Read.	do.	-	do.	do., 19. 12.	-	-
Unknown.	6 months.	do.	R. & W.	Labourer.	-	do.	Mullingar, 7. 6.	-	-
do.	-	do.	Illiterate.	do.	-	do.	Maryborough, 18. 6.	-	-
do.	2 months.	do.	R. & W.	do.	-	do.	Richmond, 10. 11.	-	-
Probably.	-	Suicidal mania.	R. & W.	do.	-	do.	do., 11. 6.	-	-
No.	47 days.	Dementia.	Illiterate.	do.	-	do.	Dundrum, 14. 12.	-	-
-	-	Mania.	Superior.	Seiler.	-	do.	Richmond, 27. 11.	-	-
Yes.	-	Monomania with delusions.	do.	Surgeon.	-	do.	Dundrum, 12. 2.	-	-

TABLE VII.—PARTICULARS of each case of INSANITY (amongst Prisoners) is

NAME OF PRISON.	Sex.	Initials of Name.	Age Yrs.	Crime.	Sentence.	Dates.		Mental Condition.	
						Of Com-mittal.	Of transfer to Prison named in col. 1.	On Com-mittal.	On transfer to Prison named in col. 1.
Larger Prisons—con.									
Limerick (M.)	M.	J. S.	29	Vagrancy.	Remand.	12. 5. 89	-	Insane.	-
	M.	J. H.	34	Arson.	Untried.	21. 2. 89	-	do.	-
	M.	F. G.	43	Drunk, &c.	1 month and 48 hours, H.L.	11. 7. 89	-	do.	-
	M.	T. K.	31	Obstructing police.	31 days, H.L.	11. 7. 89	-	Good.	-
	M.	J. B.	25	Assault.	On remand.	4. 5. 89	-	Insane.	-
	M.	J. E.	31	do.	1 month or bail.	29. 1. 89	-	do.	-
Limerick (F.)	F.	E. O'B. or G.	45	Larceny.	1 cal. month, H.L.	29. 5. 89	-	Good.	-
Londonderry.	F.	M. R.	29	Vagrancy.	3 cal. months (mpt.	28. 10. 88	-	Same.	-
Mountjoy.	M.	J. G.	43	Attempt suicide.	Detention during pleasure of L.L.	10. 4. 89	-	Insane.	-
	M.	R. N.	25	Larceny.	do.	10. 5. 89	-	do.	-
	M.	M. K.	45	Threatening.	7 days or bail.	28. 5. 89	-	do.	-
	M.	J. H.	29	Attempted suicide.	2 cal. months, H.L.	21. 5. 89	-	do.	-
	M.	J. R.	25	Larceny.	6 cal. months, H.L.	10. 5. 89	-	do.	-
	M.	G. B.	28	Assault.	3 cal. months, H.L.	13. 12. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	M. B.	30	Drunk and disorderly.	7 days or 10s.	1. 11. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	J. D.	28	Attempted suicide.	2 cal. months, H.L.	22. 10. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	W. S.	32	Murder.	Detention in Dundrum L. Asylum during pleasure of L.L.	4. 12. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	J. M'G.	22	Concealed.	3 cal. months, H.L.	15. 12. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	W. C.	60	do.	1 cal. month, H.L.	31. 1. 89	-	do.	-
Sligo.	M.	J. M'K.	79	Assault.	1 month, H.L.	29. 5. 89	-	Good.	-
Tralee.	M.	M. B.	19	Murder.	Detention in Dundrum Lunatic Asylum during pleasure of L. L.	12. 11. 87	-	Weak intellect.	-
	M.	A. F.	62	I. Assault.	I. 1 month, bail.	8. 6. 89	-	Insane.	-
	F.	J. D.	43	II. do.	II. 1 month.	7. 7. 89	-	Not insane.	-

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Whether previously insane.	Length of imprisonment previous to first symptoms of Insanity (in cases originating in Prison, named in col. 1).	Form of Insanity.	Education.	Occupation previous to Conviction.	Termination of Case.			
					Recovered in Prison named in col. 1.	Removed to Asylum or another Prison.	Name of Asylum or Prison and Date of Removal.	Died. Remaining in Prison named in col. 1.
Can't say.	-	Melancholia, &c.	R. & W.	Farmer, .	-	Asylum.	Limerick, 11. 8. .	-
do.	-	Mania, &c.	do.	do.	-	do.	Clare, 2. 6. .	-
No.	-	do.	Illiterate.	Labourer, .	-	do.	do., 19. 7. .	-
do.	10 days.	Melancholia, &c.	R. & W.	do.	-	do.	do., 23. 7. .	-
do.	-	Mania, &c.	Read.	do.	-	do.	Limerick, 10. 8. .	-
Yes.	-	do.	R. & W.	Placemaker, .	-	do.	do., 5. 2. .	-
Don't know.	8 days.	Acute insanity.	R. & W.	Servant, .	-	do.	Limerick, 15. 7. .	-
Yes.	24 days.	Recurrent mania, .	Read.	Dealer, .	No.	do.	Omagh, 1. 1. .	-
No record.	-	Suicidal mania.	R. & W.	None. .	-	do.	Richmond, 16. 4. .	-
Yes.	-	Mania, .	do.	Painter, .	-	do.	do., 25. 5. .	-
No record.	-	do.	do.	Tailor, .	-	do.	do., 2. 6. .	-
do.	-	Suicidal mania.	do.	Labourer, .	-	do.	do., 9. 6. .	-
No record.	-	Mania, .	do.	do.	-	do.	do., 16. 7. .	-
do.	-	Mecomania, .	do.	do.	-	do.	do., 22. 10. .	-
do.	-	Dementia, .	do.	None. .	-	do.	do., 7. 11. .	-
do.	-	Suicidal mania.	do.	Porter, .	-	do.	do., 8. 11. .	-
do.	-	Homicidal mania.	do.	Tobacco spinner.	-	do.	Dundrum, 7. 12. .	-
do.	-	Amentia, .	Nil.	Labourer, .	-	do.	Richmond, 26. 12. .	-
do.	-	Chr. mania, .	R. & W.	do.	-	do.	Dowpatrick, 15. 1. .	-
Yes.	22 days.	Acute mania, .	Illiterate.	Labourer, .	-	Asylum.	Omagh, 27. 9. .	-
Always ill-developed as to mind and body.	-	Imbecility,	R. & W.	do.	-	do.	Dundrum, 24. 10. .	-
Do not know.	-	Moral insanity,	do.	Cooper, .	-	do.	Killarney, 11. 5. .	-
Previously insane.	Not insane whilst here.	Not insane, .	Illiterate.	Nil.	-	do.	Dundrum, 6. 9. .	-

TABLE VII.—PARTICULARS of each case of INRANITY (amongst Prisoners) in

NAME OF PRISON.	Sex.	Initials of Name.	Age Yrs.	Crime.	Sentence.	Dates.		Mental Condition.	
						Of Commital.	Of transfer to Prison named in col. 1.	On Commital.	On transfer to Prison named in col. 1.
Larger Prisons—con.									
<i>Tralee, —con.</i>	F.	H. L.	40	I. Assault, . . . II. do. . . . III. do. . . .	1 cal. mon. H.L. } do. } do. }	18. 8. 88	-	Doubtful.	-
	M.	D. O'S.	27	Larceny, . . .	Detention in Criminal Asylum at Dundrum during pleasure of Lord Lieutenant.	11. 1. 89	-	Not insane.	-
Tullamore.	M.	F. C.*	45	Firing at with intent. . .	Detention during pleasure of L. L. do.	5. 5. 88	-	Normal.	-
	M.	F. C.*	-	do. . . .	do. . . .	25. 2. 89	-	do.	-
	M.	T. M.	28	Assault, . . .	2 months H.L.	7. 2. 88	-	Insane.	-
	M.	M. B.	32	Vagrancy, . . .	2 cal. months H.L.	27. 2. 88	-	Melancholic.	-
	M.	L. G.	60	Attempt suicide, .	Awaiting trial.	14. 2. 88	-	do.	-
Waterford.	M.	F. B.	36	Burglary, . . .	12 cal. mon. H.L.	30. 2. 87	-	Sane.	-
	M.	J. S.	44	Attempting to commit burglary.	12 cal. mon. H.L.	12. 2. 87	-	do.	-
	M.	J. O'B.	27	Broke three panes glass.	1 month or bail.	23. 11. 88	-	Insane.	-
	M.	J. A.	25	Assault, causing death.	Found insane on arraignment, and incapable of pleading.	25. 2. 88	-	do.	-
	F.	M. C.	38	Assault, . . .	1 cal. month H.L.	11. 12. 88	-	do.	-
Wexford.	M.	J. B.	32	Drunkenness, . .	14 days H.L.	12. 3. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	J. O'B.	45	Hogus and vagabond.	1 cal. mon. H.L.	25. 12. 88	-	Idiosyncratic.	-
	M.	J. M.	33	Malicious wounding.	8 cal. mon. H.L.	2. 11. 88	-	do.	-
	M.	D. C.	38	Manslaughter, . .	To be kept as a criminal lunatic in H.M. Prison at Wexford till the pleasure of the L. L. be known.	1. 2. 89	-	Becoming imbecile.	-

Total, males, 85; females, 20; males & females, 105.

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Whether previously Insane.	Length of imprisonment previous to first symptoms of Insanity (in cases originating in Prison named in col. 1).	Form of Insanity.	Education.	Occupation previous to Conviction.	Termination of Case.				
					Recovered in Prison named in col. 1.	Removed to Asylum or another Prison.	Name of Asylum or Prison and Date of Removal.	Died.	Re-admitted in Prison named in col. 1.
Previously insane.	-	Dementia.	Illiterate.	Nil.	-	Asylum.	Killarney, 28. 9. .	-	-
-	Not insane whilst here.	Not insane.	R. & W.	Clerk.	-	do.	Dundrum, 12. 9. .	-	-
Not known.	2 months.	Melancholia.	do.	Tailor.	-	do.	Mullingar, 14. 7. .	-	-
-	-	Found by Jury to be insane at commission of offence.	do.	do.	-	-	-	-	Yes.
Not known.	-	Mania and delusions.	do.	Labourer and soldier.	-	Asylum.	Mullingar, 17. 9. .	-	-
do.	-	Dementia.	do.	Labourer.	-	do.	Maryboro', 5. 10. .	-	-
do.	-	Melancholia.	do.	Farmer.	-	-	-	-	Yes.
do.	126 days.	Dementia.	do.	Labourer.	-	Asylum.	Waterford, 1. 6. .	-	-
do.	126 days.	Melancholia.	do.	do.	-	do.	Richmond, 11. 8. .	-	-
Yes.	-	Dementia.	do.	Baker.	-	do.	Waterford, 2. 12. .	-	-
do.	-	Semi-Imbecility.	do.	Labourer.	-	Prison, Asylum.	Maryboro', 4. 12. . Dundrum, 12. 12. .	-	-
do.	-	Dementia.	Illiterate.	Selling fruit.	-	do.	Clonsilla, 24. 12. .	-	-
No.	Insane on commitment.	Alcoholomania.	R. & W.	Shopman.	-	do.	Ennisceorthy, 17. 5. .	-	-
do.	14 days.	Melancholia.	do.	Labourer.	-	do.	do. 27. 1. .	-	-
do.	3 months.	Mania.	Read.	Horseclipper.	-	do.	do. 17. 3. .	-	-
Yes.	This prisoner was only considered insane at the time the offence was committed.	-	R. & W.	Pauper.	-	do.	Dundrum, 25. 2. .	-	-

TABLE VIII.—NUMBER of INDIVIDUALS committed to the undermentioned those committed under civil process, Number of them who were not known undergone One, Two, Three, &c., Commitments from their first Commitment

LARGER PRISONS.	Number of Commitments		Number of Individuals Committed.		Number of them who had not been in Prison before 1st April 1886.		REPEATS					
							Once only.		Twice.		Three.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Armagh, . . .	1,270	436	818	178	485	77	356	59	123	33	67	15
Belfast, . . .	4,464	2,604	3,282	1,833	1,567	495	1,506	469	367	183	186	81
Castlebar, . . .	600	130	461	89	386	66	362	53	55	7	18	7
Glennel, . . .	729	—	677	—	367	—	344	—	36	—	30	—
Cock, Male, . . .	2,468	—	1,910	—	1,233	—	1,183	—	242	—	128	—
Cork, Female, . . .	—	1,310	—	536	—	253	—	247	—	121	—	36
Dundalk, . . .	478	—	333	—	276	—	265	—	83	—	23	—
Galway, . . .	702	166	710	116	603	79	484	71	101	18	25	3
Grangegorman, . . .	—	8,564	—	3,304	—	1,187	—	1,064	—	432	—	254
Kilkenny, . . .	681	—	621	—	352	—	320	—	30	—	39	—
Kilmainham, . . .	2,584	—	1,829	—	1,454	—	1,371	—	229	—	60	—
Limerick, Male, . . .	1,731	—	1,283	—	932	—	721	—	173	—	72	—
Limerick, Female, . . .	—	761	—	437	—	234	—	226	—	72	—	31
Londonderry, . . .	1,440	553	910	192	604	98	511	83	143	20	64	10
Mountjoy, . . .	6,615	—	3,056	—	1,485	—	936	—	708	—	359	—
Sligo, . . .	691	179	676	97	423	38	367	85	75	8	24	8
Trillick, . . .	817	141	627	97	414	56	414	58	98	14	28	4
Tullamore, . . .	921	195	530	146	355	87	330	76	92	26	32	11
Waterford, . . .	1,134	606	772	563	270	126	258	116	104	56	50	43
Wexford, . . .	343	66	302	48	212	26	203	28	80	4	17	1
Total, Males, . . .	26,722	—	18,552	—	11,368	—	9,922	—	2,745	—	1,233	—
Total, Females, . . .	—	15,682	—	6,926	—	2,807	—	2,574	—	1,066	—	613
Total, M. and F., . . .	42,404		25,478		14,205		12,506		3,751		1,774	

PRISONS from 1st April, 1888, to 31st March, 1889, exclusive of Debtors and to have been in Prison before that year, and the Number of them who had in any year,—to 31st March, 1889.

WHO HAD BEEN UP TO THE 31st MARCH, 1889, COMMITTED—																Number of Imprisonments known to have been undergone by the Individuals committed up to 31st March, 1889. (Column No. 1.)		LARGEST PRISONS.
Four times.		Five times.		Six times.		Seven to Eleven times.		Twelve to Sixteen times.		Seventeen to Twenty times.		Twenty-one times and upwards.						
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.			
40	10	20	9	30	7	70	18	20	8	12	2	28	23	3,327	1,472	Armagh.		
183	57	142	58	102	47	373	127	164	77	67	37	182	223	10,029	10,509	Belfast.		
12	8	6	4	2	1	10	8	8	1	2	2	2	7	806	345	Castlebar.		
25	-	12	-	11	-	48	-	14	-	8	-	9	-	1,902	-	Clonmel.		
72	-	59	-	41	-	119	-	40	-	28	-	50	-	6,732	-	Cork, Male.		
-	22	-	1	-	16	-	25	-	17	-	4	-	87	-	6,246	-	Cork, Female.	
17	-	10	-	8	-	13	-	9	-	4	-	8	-	1,211	-	Dundalk.		
13	2	14	1	4	2	40	0	2	5	8	1	5	8	1,861	89	Galway.		
-	192	-	124	-	110	-	286	-	168	-	90	-	446	-	37,564	-	Grangegorman.	
25	-	10	-	8	-	20	-	8	-	8	-	8	-	1,427	-	Kilkenny.		
64	-	29	-	19	-	18	-	9	-	4	-	10	-	3,282	-	Kilmainham.		
22	-	66	-	30	-	98	-	27	-	22	-	43	-	4,858	-	Limerick, Male.		
-	21	-	17	-	15	-	26	-	12	-	0	-	11	-	1,602	-	Limerick, Fem.	
38	7	30	7	21	4	49	14	24	9	18	0	28	23	8,840	2,140	Londonderry.		
205	-	162	-	104	-	362	-	181	-	30	-	62	-	14,070	-	Mountjoy.		
15	4	19	2	6	1	24	10	7	8	5	2	9	11	1,428	608	Sligo.		
23	1	14	-	10	1	18	3	7	3	4	3	11	10	1,805	558	Tralee.		
16	4	18	6	9	3	22	13	-	4	1	2	4	2	1,200	497	Tullamore.		
38	13	37	18	19	10	87	42	59	22	28	11	80	69	5,588	3,647	Waterford.		
12	1	6	3	3	1	16	4	2	3	2	-	6	3	845	813	Wexford.		
811	-	658	-	425	-	1,377	-	633	-	235	-	568	-	75,402	-	Total, Males.		
-	342	-	258	-	225	-	670	-	359	-	179	-	920	-	72,799	-	Total, Females.	
1,368		916		653		1,962		872		415		1,489		148,201		Total, M. and F.		

TABLE IX.—SENTENCES OF DEATH, PENAL SERVITUDE,

PERSONS.	Death.	PENAL SERVITUDE FOR												IMPRISONMENT FOR					
		Life.		Above 15 Years.		15 Years and above 10.		10 Years and above 7.		7 Years.		5 Years.		3 Years and above 2.		2 Years and above 18 Months.			
Larger Prisons.																			
Armagh,	M. 1	F. —	M. —	F. —	M. 1	F. —	M. —	F. —	M. —	F. —	M. 1	F. —	M. —	F. —	M. —	F. —	M. 1	F. —	
Belfast,	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	5	—	—	—	—	1	—
Castlebar,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	
Cleamell,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	3	—	
Cork, Male,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	4	—	
Cork, Female,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Dundalk,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	
Galway,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	
Grangegorman,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	
Kilkenney,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	
Kilmainham,	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	
Limerick, Male,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	2	—	
Limerick, Female,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Londonderry,	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	
Mountjoy,	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	
Sligo,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	
Trillick,	3	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	5	—	2	1	—	—	1	—	
Tullamore,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	
Waterford,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	
Wexford,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Smaller Prisons.																			
Carriek-on-Shannon,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Drogheda,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Enniskillen,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Mullingar,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Omagh,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Wicklow,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Total, Males,	8	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	6	—	21	—	37	—	—	—	20	—	
Total, Females,	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	
Total, M. and F.,	10	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	6	—	21	—	41	—	—	—	20	—	

IMPRISONMENT, &c., passed from 1st April, 1888, to 31st March, 1889.

IMPRISONMENT FOR												PRISONS.
18 Months and above 12.		12 Months only.		Under 12 Months and above 6.		9 Months and above 6.		6 Months only.		Under 6 Months and above 3.		
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Larger Prisons.
2	1	9	2	-	-	2	1	23	2	13	1	Armagh.
15	1	21	2	7	-	20	15	114	20	80	82	Belfast.
-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	7	3	6	-	Castbar.
-	-	3	-	-	-	7	-	13	-	6	-	Clonmel.
1	-	16	-	-	-	11	-	27	-	43	-	Cork, Male.
-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	Cork, Female.
2	-	6	-	2	-	8	-	11	-	13	-	Dundalk.
5	-	12	-	-	-	8	1	26	-	11	2	Galway.
-	2	-	20	-	-	-	4	-	43	-	20	Grangegorman.
5	-	16	-	-	-	3	-	20	-	8	-	Kilkeeny.
3	-	16	-	1	-	7	-	19	-	26	-	Kilmainham.
8	-	7	-	-	-	3	-	9	-	7	-	Limerick, Male.
-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	3	Limerick, Female.
5	-	10	-	1	-	25	-	18	5	16	5	Londonderry.
14	-	24	-	1	-	21	-	125	-	43	-	Mountjoy.
1	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	14	2	10	1	Sligo.
1	-	1	-	-	-	3	1	22	-	10	-	Tralee.
-	-	1	1	-	-	3	-	12	2	13	3	Tullamore.
2	-	6	1	-	-	1	1	7	1	4	1	Waterford.
1	1	5	-	1	-	8	-	12	1	13	-	Wexford.
Smaller Prisons.												
-	-	1	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	Carrick-on-Shannon.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Drogheda.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Enniskillen.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mullingar.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Onagh.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Wicklow.
66	-	150	-	14	-	143	-	473	-	338	-	Total, Males.
-	6	-	38	-	-	-	23	-	194	-	71	Total, Females.
71	-	188	-	14	-	166	-	532	-	390	-	Total, M. and F.

(continued.)

TABLE IX., *concluded.*—SENTENCES OF DEATH, PENAL SERVITUDE,

Prisons.	IMPRISONMENT FOR											
	3 Months only.		Under 3 Months and above 1.		3 Months and above 1.		1 Month and above 14 Days.		14 Days and above 7.		7 Days and above 48 Hours.	
Larger Prisons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Armagh,	83	11	4	—	72	14	854	216	306	50	886	116
Belfast,	218	74	82	7	288	04	843	794	624	829	1,250	720
Castlebar,	22	12	1	—	32	9	73	19	120	18	142	39
Cloamell,	11	—	12	—	40	—	110	—	08	—	813	—
Cork, Male,	04	—	27	—	220	—	891	—	414	—	843	—
Cork, Female,	—	82	—	—	—	68	—	513	—	208	—	418
Dundalk,	17	—	—	—	32	—	105	—	79	—	107	—
Galway,	22	8	2	—	71	6	107	40	27	30	208	37
Grangegorman,	—	03	—	16	—	273	—	780	—	1,355	—	6,058
Kilkenny,	32	—	—	—	61	—	112	—	27	—	227	—
Kilmainham,	68	—	18	—	184	—	856	—	303	—	728	—
Limerick, Male,	60	—	124	—	229	—	220	—	232	—	814	—
Limerick, Female,	—	48	—	—	—	39	—	172	—	147	—	163
Leadonberry,	00	12	6	—	56	13	280	157	231	142	580	169
Mountjoy,	109	—	88	—	415	—	703	—	764	—	2,024	—
Sligo,	24	13	3	3	64	17	136	52	123	33	108	82
Tralee,	27	4	10	2	67	10	140	41	158	24	184	40
Tullamore,	17	0	5	—	74	20	156	04	115	40	144	44
Waterford,	18	8	—	—	28	13	151	142	162	112	382	172
Wexford,	16	—	1	—	85	0	62	18	50	10	81	13
Smaller Prisons.												
Carriok-on-Shannon,	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	8	1	72	25
Drogheda,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	171	65
Rathkillen,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	70	16
Mullingar,	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	6	—	06	45
Omagh,	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	109	29
Wicklow,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	08	18
Total, Males,	902	—	326	—	2,061	—	4,436	—	4,028	—	9,265	—
Total, Females,	—	291	—	28	—	678	—	2,073	—	2,673	—	7,249
Total, M. and F.,	1,165	—	354	—	2,069	—	7,409	—	6,606	—	16,689	—

IMPRISONMENT, &c., passed from 1st April, 1888, to 31st March, 1889.

IMPRISONMENT FOR												Total.		Parsons.
48 Hours.		24 Hours and under.		Fines without any alternative imprisonment.		Un-remitted.		Sentences reprieved and not passed.						
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Larger Prisons.		
20	2	5	6	-	-	8	1	3	2	1,176	424	Armagh.		
-	4	468	239	-	-	79	-	-	-	4,166	2,526	Belfast.		
4	2	-	2	-	-	6	2	-	-	416	108	Castlebar.		
1	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	632	-	Clonmel.		
40	-	22	-	-	-	18	-	-	-	2,188	-	Cork, Male.		
-	15	-	18	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1,278	Cork, Female.		
12	-	1	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	424	-	Droghda.		
21	8	8	9	-	-	-	-	5	2	672	142	Galway.		
-	347	-	297	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	8,168	Grangegorman.		
11	-	3	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	698	-	Kilkenny.		
81	-	67	-	-	-	85	-	-	-	1,902	-	Kilmainham.		
202	-	10	-	-	-	18	-	-	-	1,073	-	Limerick, Male.		
-	119	-	16	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	790	Limerick, Female.		
41	25	6	2	-	-	4	-	-	-	1,672	664	Londonderry.		
681	-	801	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	6,016	-	Mountjoy.		
61	11	32	6	-	-	1	-	-	1	627	171	Sligo.		
8	1	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	644	181	Tralee.		
15	4	6	2	-	-	12	-	-	2	673	188	Tullamore.		
181	78	134	69	-	-	13	-	2	-	1,081	688	Waterford.		
8	6	10	3	-	-	8	-	-	-	816	62	Wexford.		
												Smaller Prisons.		
8	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	92	26	Carriak-on-Shannon.		
-	4	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	179	70	Drogheda.		
10	6	89	14	-	-	8	-	-	-	128	34	Enniskillen.		
18	4	16	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	132	60	Mullingar.		
29	4	1	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	206	32	Omagh.		
8	8	4	3	-	-	9	-	-	-	115	25	Wicklow.		
1,482	-	1,119	-	2	-	268	-	12	-	25,221	-	Total, Males.		
-	634	-	679	-	-	-	8	-	7	-	16,260	Total, Females.		
2,116		1,798		2		296		19		40,481		Total, M. and F.		

TABLE X.—AGES, EDUCATIONAL CONDITION ON COMMITMENT, and RELIGIOUS
1st April, 1883, to 31st March,

LARGE PRISON.	Total Number of Commitments.			AGE.									
				Under 15 Years.		15 and under 16 Years.		16 and under 21 Years.		21 and under 35 Years.		35 and under 40 Years.	
	M.	F.	M. & F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Armagh, . . .	1,370	450	1,820	2	-	42	-	268	27	601	114	291	98
Belfast, . . .	4,454	2,804	7,258	11	-	57	4	834	218	1,584	841	974	668
Castlebar, . . .	600	12	612	2	-	16	1	101	8	160	27	104	54
Clonmel, . . .	722	-	722	4	-	11	-	116	-	241	-	157	-
Cork, Male, . . .	2,408	-	2,408	5	-	51	-	402	-	900	-	610	-
Cork, Female, . . .	-	1,31	1,310	-	1	-	8	-	58	-	408	-	831
Dundalk, . . .	478	-	478	-	-	1	-	60	-	207	-	110	-
Galway, . . .	702	155	857	-	-	10	3	198	15	264	82	124	45
Grangegorman, . . .	-	8,354	8,354	-	1	-	47	-	628	-	2,775	-	2,747
Kilkeany, . . .	681	-	681	2	-	14	-	111	-	282	-	100	-
Kilmalsham, . . .	2,584	-	2,584	18	-	53	-	483	-	859	-	552	-
Limerick, Male, . . .	1,791	-	1,791	2	-	30	-	432	-	730	-	441	-
Limerick, Female, . . .	-	761	761	-	-	-	3	-	91	-	268	-	215
Londonderry, . . .	1,440	555	1,995	13	-	23	1	211	124	536	150	320	208
Mountjoy, . . .	5,018	-	5,018	15	-	198	-	1,892	-	2,145	-	1,024	-
Sligo, . . .	561	170	731	-	1	18	-	142	16	25	58	128	38
Tralee, . . .	617	141	758	1	1	11	3	107	27	226	37	170	84
Tullamore, . . .	621	196	817	2	1	7	3	120	20	225	55	95	48
Waterford, . . .	1,184	600	1,784	2	-	11	5	182	24	371	142	315	141
Wexford, . . .	843	60	903	2	-	8	1	69	5	126	18	74	23
Total, Males, . . .	20,722	-	-	81	-	350	-	5,817	-	9,545	-	5,396	-
Total, Females, . . .	-	15,482	-	-	5	-	77	-	1,542	-	4,921	-	4,576
Total, M. and F.,	-	-	42,204	86	5	350	77	7,869	14,555	10,273			

PROFESSIONS of all Persons Committed to the undermentioned Prisons from 1889, exclusive of Commitments under Civil process.

AGE.				EDUCATION ON COMMITMENT.												LARGE PRISONS.
40 Years and upwards.		Age could not be ascertained.		Neither Read nor Write.		Read, or Read and Write imperfectly.		Read and Write well.		Superior Instruction.		Education not ascertained.				
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.			
283	204	-	-	389	130	308	184	703	172	-	-	-	-	Armagh.		
1,054	838	-	-	1,112	960	458	639	2,806	1,100	4	-	-	-	Belfast.		
120	52	-	-	162	78	83	16	800	25	-	-	-	-	Castletar.		
210	-	-	-	934	-	61	-	829	-	-	-	1	-	Clongmel.		
380	-	-	-	942	-	996	-	960	-	21	-	-	-	Cork, Male.		
-	411	-	-	-	727	-	212	-	871	-	-	-	-	Cork, Female.		
94	-	-	-	188	-	194	-	94	-	2	-	-	-	Dundalk.		
160	80	-	-	863	102	100	10	808	48	1	-	2	-	Galway.		
-	1,950	-	-	-	8,533	-	933	-	3,888	-	-	-	-	Grangegorman.		
167	-	-	-	287	-	35	-	854	-	5	-	-	-	Kilkenny.		
880	-	-	-	881	-	618	-	1,008	-	20	-	-	-	Kilmainham.		
147	-	-	-	716	-	674	-	87	-	4	-	-	-	Limerick, Male.		
-	180	-	-	-	549	-	116	-	93	-	-	-	-	Limerick, Female.		
828	68	-	-	621	938	913	100	640	127	6	-	-	-	Londonderry.		
772	-	-	-	1,880	-	1,006	-	2,612	-	416	-	-	-	Mountjoy.		
158	62	-	-	278	119	260	45	124	15	8	-	-	-	Sligo.		
170	30	-	-	225	87	74	16	517	41	-	-	-	-	Tralee.		
167	70	-	-	269	110	22	19	320	67	1	-	-	-	Tullamore.		
248	217	-	-	440	336	618	837	59	20	24	2	-	-	Waterford.		
79	17	-	-	190	82	14	7	164	27	6	-	-	-	Wexford.		
5,131	-	-	-	9,386	-	8,074	-	10,670	-	612	-	4	-	Total, Males.		
-	4,103	-	-	-	8,988	-	2,489	-	5,099	-	2	-	-	Total, Females.		
9,814	-	-	-	18,214	-	8,560	-	16,875	-	821	-	4	-	Total, M. and F.		

TABLE X., *concluded*.—AGES, EDUCATIONAL CONDITION OR COMMITMENT, and RELIGIOUS PROFESSIONS of all Persons Committed to the undermentioned Prisons from 1st April, 1888, to 31st March, 1889, exclusive of Committees under Civil process.

LARGE PRISONS.	RELIGIOUS PROFESSIONS.										Total Number of Commitments.		
	Protestant Episcopalians of Ireland.		Presbyterians.		Roman Catholics.		Other Religious Professions.		Could not be ascertained.				
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M. & F.
Armagh,	254	75	61	16	951	345	4	-	-	-	1,270	436	1,706
Belfast,	1,037	932	1,181	213	2,473	1,432	8	-	-	-	4,464	2,504	7,008
Castlebar,	6	-	-	-	49	120	1	-	-	-	509	120	620
Clonmel,	23	-	-	-	699	-	2	-	-	-	722	-	722
Cork, Male,	118	-	14	-	2,274	-	2	-	-	-	2,408	-	2,408
Cork, Female,	-	111	-	1	-	1,188	-	10	-	-	-	1,310	1,310
Dundalk,	17	-	11	-	45	-	-	-	-	-	478	-	478
Galway,	15	11	-	-	741	144	2	-	4	-	762	155	917
Grangegorman,	-	496	-	1	-	7,848	-	2	-	6	-	8,354	8,354
Kilkenny,	47	-	5	-	68	-	1	-	-	-	681	-	681
Kilmainham,	141	-	10	-	2,423	-	10	-	-	-	2,584	-	2,584
Limerick, Male,	22	-	1	-	1,707	-	1	-	-	-	1,791	-	1,791
Limerick, Female,	-	14	-	-	-	745	-	2	-	-	-	761	761
Londonderry,	178	64	73	12	1,187	470	-	-	-	-	1,440	555	1,995
Mountjoy,	284	-	21	-	5,697	-	7	-	7	-	6,016	-	6,016
Sligo,	81	4	2	-	608	175	-	-	-	-	691	179	870
Tralee,	8	8	-	-	805	139	1	-	-	-	817	141	958
Tullamore,	26	3	4	-	563	192	2	-	-	-	621	185	816
Waterford,	18	8	3	-	1,111	548	2	-	-	-	1,134	608	1,740
Wexford,	17	1	-	-	820	64	-	-	-	1	843	68	409
Total, Males,	2,262	-	1380	-	23,071	-	38	-	11	-	26,722	-	-
Total, Females,	-	1,742	-	243	-	13,475	-	16	-	7	-	15,482	-
Total, M. and F.,	4,004		1,579		36,550		53		18		-		42,204

TABLE XI.—SCHOOLS.—NUMBER of PRISONERS in Attendance, Number of Days Schools were held, Number of Teachers, &c., from 1st April, 1888, to 31st March, 1889, in under-mentioned Prisons.

LARGE PRISONS.	Number of Individual Prisoners who attended School.		Number of Days School was held.		Average Daily Number of Pupils.		Number of Teachers.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Armagh, . . .	126	80	250	261	18	11	1	1
Belfast, . . .	438	327	304	304	31	23	1	1
Castlesbar, . . .	23	6	297	104	4	1	1	1
Clonmel, . . .	80	—	100	—	0.9	—	1	—
Cork, Male, . . .	140	—	301	—	9	—	1	—
Cork, Female, . . .	—	46	—	240	—	0	—	1
Dundalk, . . .	81	—	304	—	6	—	1	—
Galway, . . .	60	7	209	180	0	2	1	1
Grangegorman, . . .	—	110	—	800	—	25	—	1
Kilkenney, . . .	146	—	292	—	20	—	1	—
Kilmainham, . . .	08	—	304	—	10	—	1	—
Limerick, Male, . . .	85	—	6	—	0	—	1	—
Limerick, Female, . . .	—	130	—	506	—	9	—	1
Londonderry, . . .	85	21	260	301	4	3	1	1
Mountjoy, . . .	5,646	—	281	—	18	—	1	—
Sligo, . . .	36	29	304	304	5.0	2.6	1	1
Tralee, . . .	66	9	297	106	8	1	1	1
Tullamore, . . .	66	38	281	274	0	3	1	1
Waterford, . . .	24	14	230	280	4	3	1	1
Wexford, . . .	78	23	206	133	13	0	1	1
Total, 1888-89, . . .	6,071	800	—	—	164.5	97.6	17	13

TABLE XII.—RETURN OF PRISON OFFENCES AND PUNISHMENTS IN
(As required by section 15

PRISON.	Prison Punishments.								(a) Total number of Prisoners punished.		(b) Number of Prisoners not punished.	
	Corporal Punish- ment.		Punishment Cells.		Dietary Punishment.		Deprivation of Marks or Privilege.		M.	F.	M.	F.
Larger Prisons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.				
Armagh,	-	-	8	22	294	11	2	-	225	22	1,123	410
Belfast,	-	-	30	6	650	100	44	3	624	87	4,104	2,555
Castlebar,	-	-	-	-	83	-	2	-	70	-	460	133
Glennel,	-	-	21	-	337	-	53	-	184	-	658	-
Cork, Male,	-	-	24	-	412	-	113	-	301	-	2,289	-
Cork, Female,	-	-	-	0	-	96	-	8	-	101	-	1,294
Dundalk,	-	-	12	-	138	-	73	-	117	-	688	-
Galway,	-	-	16	-	177	0	20	8	189	7	624	105
Grangegorman,	-	-	-	66	-	72	-	17	-	116	-	8,428
Kilkenny,	-	-	2	-	311	-	76	-	218	-	876	-
Kilmainham,	-	-	9	-	661	-	63	-	668	-	3,168	-
Limerick, Male,	-	-	4	-	46	-	1	-	47	-	1,555	-
Limerick, Female,	-	-	-	9	-	13	-	5	-	27	-	783
Londonderry,	-	-	2	5	543	70	24	2	550	61	1,068	601
Mountjoy,	-	-	20	-	274	-	60	-	303	-	6,003	-
Sligo,	-	-	1	3	177	40	8	3	181	23	815	177
Tralee,	-	-	-	-	242	27	13	-	189	19	673	124
Tullamore,	-	-	2	-	338	6	10	2	205	6	499	220
Waterford,	-	-	3	18	116	10	1	1	87	17	1,094	625
Wexford,	-	-	-	1	72	0	-	1	63	6	327	82
Smaller Prisons.												
Carrick-on-Shannon,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	183	45
Drogheda,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	199	74
Feniahullen,	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	184	39
Mullingar,	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	9	-	200	76
Omagh,	-	-	-	-	23	6	-	-	23	6	281	40
Wicklow,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	179	30
Total, Males,	-	-	150	-	4,835	-	561	-	4,191	-	27,189	-
Total, Females,	-	-	-	136	-	431	-	45	-	810	-	15,929
Total, M. and F.,	-	-	203	-	5,315	-	606	-	4,707	-	43,118	-

* i.e., the number in custody on 1st April, 1885, plus the number received.

LOCAL PRISONS from 1st APRIL, 1888, to 31st MARCH, 1889.
of 40-41 Vict., cap. 49.)

Total number of Prisoners during the Year.* (Columns 1 & 2).		Prison Offences.										Parsons.	
		Violence.		Escape and Attempts to Escape.		Idleness.		Other Breaches of Regulations.		Total Offences.			
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Larger Prisons.	
1,348	402	6	14	-	-	107	1	105	82	367	47		Armagh.
4,816	3,732	6	6	-	-	119	7	877	209	1,055	212	Belfast.	
680	123	-	-	-	-	87	-	76	-	113	-	Castlesbar.	
822	-	4	-	-	-	220	-	203	-	503	-	Clonmel.	
2,650	-	8	-	-	-	326	-	447	-	673	-	Cork, Male.	
-	1,590	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	181	-	183	Cork, Female.	
685	-	4	-	-	-	61	-	201	-	265	-	Dundalk.	
812	173	1	8	-	-	156	-	87	4	164	7	Galway.	
-	8,544	-	48	-	-	-	-	-	190	-	173	Grangegorman.	
800	-	7	-	-	-	101	-	327	-	428	-	Kilkenny.	
8,766	-	4	-	-	-	534	-	642	-	1,180	-	Kilmainham.	
1,502	-	1	-	-	-	144	-	108	-	311	-	Limerick, Male.	
-	810	-	6	-	-	-	6	-	33	-	34	Limerick, Female.	
1,538	682	1	4	-	-	160	4	468	76	619	84	Londonderry.	
5,511	-	18	-	-	-	41	-	454	-	508	-	Mountjoy.	
746	199	1	8	-	-	50	18	232	44	283	65	Sligo.	
802	147	-	1	-	-	57	8	168	24	235	28	Trillick.	
704	282	1	9	1	-	389	7	200	21	610	30	Tullamore.	
1,181	642	2	2	-	-	17	0	149	63	166	71	Waterford.	
410	88	2	6	-	-	15	2	187	10	204	24	Wexford.	
												Smaller Prisons.	
188	45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Carrick-on-Shannon.	
190	74	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Drogheda.	
187	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	Enniskillen.	
268	75	-	-	-	-	14	8	5	-	10	3	Mullingar.	
284	54	-	-	-	-	13	-	10	6	23	3	Omagh.	
179	89	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	3	1	Wicklow.	
51,980	-	55	-	1	-	2,633	-	5,148	-	7,837	-	Total, Males.	
-	15,445	-	95	-	-	-	52	-	320	-	367	Total, Females.	
47,825		150		1		2,633		5,148		8,204		Total, M. and F.	

by direct commitment, or on transfer from other prisons, during the year.

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TABLE XIII.—RETURN showing Cases in which MECHANICAL RESTRAINTS have been used on PRISONERS in LOCAL PRISONS, IRELAND, during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

[See paragraph 93 of Report of Royal Commission, 1884.]

NAME OF PRISON	Sex	Initials of Prisoner placed under Restraint.	Authorized mode of Restraint.	Reason for placing Prisoner under Restraint.	Whether in or out of Hospital.	Period during which Prisoner was under Restraint.	Number of	
							Cases.	Individuals.
Larger Prisons.								
Armagh,	M.	P. S.	{ Muff straps. do. do.	To prevent him injuring himself.	Out.	3 days.	2	1
				To prevent him committing suicide.	In.	0 days.		
	M.	T. C.		To prevent him injuring himself and others, and breaking prison property.	Out.	7½ hours.		
Belfast,	M.	W. C.	Muffs.	Violence.	do.	21½ hours.	1	1
	M.	T. F.	do.	Breaking cell furniture.	do.	12 hours.	1	1
	M.	C. McK.	do.	Assaulting officer.	do.	23 hours.	1	1
	F.	M. D.	do.	do.	do.	20 hours.	1	1
	M.	J. McA.	do.	Injury to prison property.	do.	16½ hours.	1	1
	F.	M. McK.	do.	Assaulting officers.	do.	24 hours.	1	1
	M.	W. W.	do.	Attempting to injure himself.	do.	72 hours.	1	1
	F.	C. McM.	do.	Attempting to injure herself.	do.	14 hours.	1	1
Clonmel,	M.	H. S.	Leather mask.	Attempting to assault warden.	do.	3½ hours.	1	1
	M.	A. E. B.	do.	do.	do.	3½ hours.	1	1
Cork (Male),	M.	J. C.	Muffs.	Violence.	In.	4 hours.	1	1
	M.	J. B.	do.	Insanity.	Out.	2 days.	1	1
	M.	P. H. B.	{ do. do.	Violence and breaking prison property.	do.	3 hours.	2	1
		Violence.		do.	3 days.			
	M.	J. Q.	do.	do.	do.	6 hours.	1	1
	M.	H. H.	do.	do.	do.	10½ hours.	1	1
	M.	J. S.	do.	Violence and destroying prison property.	do.	11½ hours.	1	1
	M.	J. B.	do.	Violence.	do.	4 days.	1	1
	M.	C. S.	do.	Signs of desire to commit suicide.	do.	2 days.	1	1
	M.	A. D.	do.	Violence.	do.	3 days.	1	1
	M.	D. B.	do.	Insanity.	do.	17 days.	1	1

TABLE XIII.—RETURN showing Cases in which MECHANICAL RESTRAINTS have been used on PRISONERS in LOCAL PRISONS, IRELAND, during the year ended 31st March, 1889—continued.

NAME OF PRISON.	SEX.	Initials of Prisoner placed under Restraint.	Authorized mode of Restraint.	Reason for placing Prisoner under Restraint.	Whether in or out of Hospital.	Period during which Prisoner was under Restraint.	Number of	
							Cases.	Indiv- duals.
Larger Prisons—con. Cork (Female)	F.	H. D.	Muffs.	Violence,	Out.	4 hours.	1	1
	F.	M. V.	do.	do. . . .	do.	3 days.	1	1
	F.	E. H.	do.	do. . . .	do.	5 hours.	1	1
	F.	M. E.	do.	do. . . .	do.	4 days.	2	1
	F.	K. E.	do.	do. . . .	do.	6 hours.	1	1
	F.	A. H.	do.	do. . . .	do.	4 hours.	1	1
	F.	B. B.	do.	Attempted suicide, . .	do.	3 days.	1	1
	F.	M. M.	do.	Violence,	do.	5 hours.	1	1
Dundalk.	M.	J. B.	do.	To prevent injury to him- self and others.	do.	4½ hours.	2	1
	M.	P. H.	Muffs, mild restraint.	do. . . .	do.	15 days.	1	1
	M.	M. O'H.	do.	Destroying prison property.	do.	7½ hours.	1	1
Galway.	M.	F. O'D.	Muffs.	Assaulting an officer, . .	do.	11½ hours.	1	1
	F.	A. O.	do.	Attempted suicide, . .	do.	13½ hours.	2	1
	M.	M. C.	do.	Attempted violence to him- self; insane.	do.	5 days 8½ hours.	1	1
	F.	H. D.	do.	Threatening violence to herself.	do.	4 hours.	1	1
Grangegorman.	F.	M. S.	do.	Destroying prison property.	do.	2 hours.	1	1
				do. . . .	do.	16½ hours.	11	1
				do. . . .	do.	20½ hours.		
				Attempting suicide, . .	do.	8 hours.		
				do. . . .	do.	13½ hours.		
				do. . . .	do.	14 hours.		
	F.	C. K.	do.	do. . . .	do.	17 hours.		
				do. . . .	do.	7½ hours.		
				do. . . .	do.	23½ hours.		
				do. . . .	do.	27 hours.		
				do. . . .	do.	28 hours.		
				do. . . .	do.	17 hours.		

TABLE XIII.—RETURN showing Cases in which MECHANICAL RESTRAINTS have been used on PRISONERS in LOCAL PRISONS, IRELAND, during the year ended 31st March, 1889—continued.

NAME OF PRISON.	Sex.	Initials of Prisoner placed under Restraint.	Authorized mode of Restraint.	Reason for placing Prisoner under Restraint.	Whether in or out of Hospital.	Period during which Prisoner was under Restraint.	Number of	
							Cases.	Individuals.
Larger Prisons—con. Grangegorman—con.				Threatening suicide, . . .	Out, . . .	48 hours, . . .	9	1
				do.	do.	18 hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	30 hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	18 hours, . . .		
	F.	L. M.	Muffs, . . .	do.	do.	2 hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	19½ hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	22 hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	60 hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	14 hours, . . .		
				Threatening suicide, . . .	do.	12 hours, . . .	3	1
	F.	S. F.	do.	do.	do.	12 hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	12 hours, . . .		
				Destroying prison property, . . .	do.	1½ hours, . . .	5	1
				do.	do.	9 hours, . . .		
	F.	T. H.	do.	do.	do.	9 hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	6 hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	60 hours, . . .		
	F.	A. K.	do.	Assaulting an officer, . . .	do.	5 hours, . . .	1	1
	F.	M. T.	do.	Destroying prison property, . . .	do.	14 hours, . . .	1	1
				do.	do.	9 hours, . . .	6	1
				do.	do.	14 hours, . . .		
	F.	L. M.	do.	do.	do.	21 hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	20 hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	9 hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	9 hours, . . .		
	F.	E. W.	do.	Threatening suicide, . . .	do.	4 hours, . . .	2	1
				do.	do.	2 hours, . . .		
				Destroying prison property, . . .	do.	3 hours, . . .	3	1
	F.	M. C.	do.	do.	do.	4 hours, . . .		
				do.	do.	27 hours, . . .		

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NAME OF PRISON.	SEX.	Initials of Prisoner placed under Restraint.	Authorized mode of Restraint.	Reason for placing Prisoner under Restraint.	Whether in or out of Hospital.	Period during which Prisoner was under Restraint.	Number of	
							Cases.	Individuals.
Larger Prisons—cont. Grangegorman—cont.	F.	C. L.	Muffs.	Destroying prison property.	Out.	16 hours.	1	1
	F.	M. R.	do.	do.	do.	8 hours.	1	1
	F.	M. K. L.	do.	do.	do.	4½ hours.	2	1
				do.	do.	2½ hours.		
	F.	W. L.	do.	Threatening suicide.	do.	28 hours.	3	1
				do.	do.	1½ hours.		
				do.	do.	8 hours.	1	1
	F.	C. S.	do.	Destroying prison property.	do.	8 hours.		
	F.	A. G.	do.	do.	do.	19½ hours.	2	1
				do.	do.	30 hours.		
				do.	do.	14 hours.	3	1
	F.	C. M.	do.	Violence.	do.	15 hours.		
				do.	do.	14 hours.	3	1
				do.	do.	24 hours.		
				do.	do.	12 hours.	1	1
	F.	C. O.	do.	do.	do.	39 hours.		
	F.	M. H.	do.	do.	do.	1½ hours.	2	1
				do.	do.	31 hours.		
	F.	M. B.	do.	do.	do.	8 hours.	1	1
	F.	A. F.	do.	Destroying Prison property.	do.	6 hours.	2	1
				do.	do.	3 hours.		
	F.	C. B.	do.	do.	do.	6½ hours.	1	1
	F.	B. W.	do.	do.	do.	48 hours.	1	1
				Threatening suicide.	do.	40 hours.	3	1
				do.	do.	18 hours.		
	F.	M. A. O'N.	do.	do.	do.	18 hours.	3	1
				do.	do.	18 hours.		
				do.	do.	18 hours.	3	1
				do.	do.	18 hours.		

TABLE XIII.—RETURN showing Cases in which MECHANICAL RESTRAINTS have been used on PRISONERS in LOCAL PRISONS, IRELAND, during the year ended 31st March, 1889—continued.

NAME OF PRISON.	SEX.	Initials of Prisoner placed under Restraint.	Authorized mode of Restraint.	Reason for placing Prisoner under Restraint.	Whether in or out of Hospital.	Period during which Prisoner was under Restraint.	Number of	
							Cases.	Indiv. Cases.
Larger Prisons.—con. Grangegorman.—con.	F.	K. B.	Muffs.	Destroying prison property.	Out.	15½ hours.	2	1
				do.	do.	12 hours.		
Kilkenney.	M.	W. M.	do.	To prevent self injury.	do.	2 days.	1	1
	M.	J. M.M.	do.	Threats to commit suicide.	do.	3 days.	2	1
	M.	E. S.	do.	Violence and assault.	do.	4 days.	1	1
	M.	J. B.	do.	do.	do.	1 day.	1	1
	M.	J. M.	do.	To prevent self injury.	do.	4 days.	2	1
	M.	J. C.	do.	Being a violent lunatic.	do.	3 days.	1	1
	M.	E. C.	do.	do.	do.	3 days.	1	1
Kilmainham.	M.	P. F. alias P. K.	do.	Insolent; dangerous to himself and others.	In.	2½ hours.	1	1
	M.	J. D.	do.	Being dangerous to others.	Out.	16½ hours.	1	1
	M.	E. L.	do.	Violent and refractory conduct.	do.	6½ hours.	1	1
	M.	J. D.	do.	Assaulting prisoners.	do.	10½ hours.	1	1
	M.	M. McG.	do.	Attempting to injure himself.	do.	10½ hours.	1	1
	M.	C. A.	do.	Observation as to mental condition—violence; injury to prison property.	do.	3 days, 10½ hours.	1	1
Limerick (Male)	M.	T. K.	Leather Muffs.	To prevent him doing harm to himself and others.	In.	24 hours.	1	1
	M.	M. B.	do.	Breaking his cell window.	Out.	3 days.	1	1
	M.	P. C.	do.	Attempting suicide.	do.	12 hours.	1	1
Limerick (Female).	F.	B. N.	do.	Breaking windows.	do.	24 hours.	1	1
	F.	J. T.	do.	Assaulting officers and attempting suicide.	do.	36 hours.	2	1

TABLE XIII.—RETURN showing Cases in which MECHANICAL RESTRAINTS have been used on PRISONERS in LOCAL PRISONS, IRELAND, during the year ended 31st March, 1889—continued.

NAME OF PRISON.	SEX.	Initials of Prisoner placed under Restraint.	Authorized mode of Restraint.	Reason for placing Prisoner under Restraint.	Whether in or out of Hospital.	Period during which Prisoner was under Restraint.	Number of	
							Cases.	Individuals.
Larger Prisons—con.								
Limerick (Female)—con.	F.	M. T.	Muffs.	Breaking windows and attempting suicide.	Out.	19 hours.	1	1
	F.	M. McD.	do.	Breaking windows and attempting to strike officers.	do.	43 hours.	1	1
Londonderry	F.	M. R.	do.	Violence, and tearing her clothing.	do.	13 days.	1	1
Monatjoy	M.	G. R.	do.	{ To prevent violence and damage to prison property.	{ do.	43½ hours.	1	1
Tralee.	F.	H. L.	do.	Threatened violence.	do.	8 hours.	1	1
Tullamore.	M.	P. O'D.	do.	To prevent assault on officers.	do.	{ During exercise for 6 days, total time 11 hours.	1	1
	M.	P. H.	do.	To prevent desertion.	do.	4 hours.	1	1
Waterford.	M.	P. W.	do.	Breaking glass in cell, and to prevent him injuring himself.	do.	24 hours.	1	1
	M.	H. G.	do.	To prevent him injuring himself and others.	do.	168 hours.	1	1
	M.	M. McC.	do.	To prevent him injuring himself and others.	do.	14 hours.	1	1
	F.	M. McD.	do.	Breaking glass in cell, and to prevent her injuring herself or others.	do.	79 hours.	1	1
Wexford.	F.	M. McG.	Hand Muffs.	Violence.	do.	66½ hours.	1	1
	F.	S. Q.	do.	Attempt to assault officers.	do.	28 hours.	1	1
	F.	B. F.	do.	Violence and threats.	do.	1½ hours.	1	1
Total.							150	94

TABLE XIV.—OFFENCES and COMMITMENTS of JUVENILES, *i.e.*, PRISONERS included in

PRISONS.	COMMITMENTS.								
	CONVICTED								
	AT ASSIZES AND QUARTER SESSIONS.				SUMMARY.				By Courts Martial, and Disasters.
	Under 12 Years.		12 and not exceeding 16 Years.		Under 12 Years.		12 and not exceeding 16 Years.		12 and not exceeding 16 Years.
Larger Prisons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.
Armagh,	—	—	2	—	2	—	84	—	—
Belfast,	—	—	—	—	6	—	83	8	—
Castlebar,	—	—	—	—	1	—	16	1	—
Clonmel,	—	—	1	—	4	—	9	—	—
Cork, Male,	—	—	—	—	4	—	46	—	—
Cork, Female,	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	6	—
Dundalk,	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
Galway,	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	2	—
Grangegorman,	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	47	—
Kilkenny,	—	—	3	—	1	—	9	—	—
Kilmainham,	—	—	—	—	6	—	84	—	—
Limerick, Male,	—	—	—	—	—	—	26	—	—
Limerick, Female,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
Londonderry,	—	—	1	—	7	—	19	—	—
Mountjoy,	—	—	1	—	15	—	187	—	—
Sligo,	—	—	—	—	—	1	12	—	—
Trillick,	—	—	2	—	—	1	6	8	—
Tullamore,	—	—	1	—	2	1	6	2	—
Waterford,	—	—	—	—	2	—	9	4	—
Wexford,	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	1	—
Smaller Prisons.									
Carrick-on-Shannon,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drogheda,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Enniskillen,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mullingar,	—	—	—	—	1	—	10	2	—
Omagh,	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	—
Wicklow,	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	2	—
Total, 1898-99, { Males,	—	—	11	—	57	—	474	—	—
{ Females,	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	74	—
	—		11		62		548		—
	11				610				—

not exceeding 16 years of age, from 1st April, 1888, to 31st March, 1889, foregoing Tables.

COMMITMENTS.								TOTAL NUMBER OF COMMITMENTS.				PRISONS.
TOTAL CONVICTED.				NOT CONVICTED AND UNTRIED.								
Under 12 Years.		12 and not exceeding 16 Years.		Under 12 Years.		12 and not exceeding 16 Years.		Under 12 Years.		12 and not exceeding 16 Years.		
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Larger Prisons.
2	-	35	-	-	-	6	-	2	-	43	-	Armagh.
8	-	33	3	8	-	24	1	11	-	67	4	Belfast.
1	-	10	1	1	-	-	-	2	-	10	1	Castles.
4	-	10	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	11	-	Clonmel.
4	-	46	-	1	-	6	-	5	-	61	-	Cork, Male.
-	1	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	Cork, Female.
-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	Dundalk.
-	-	9	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	10	3	Galway.
-	1	-	47	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	47	Grangegorman.
1	-	12	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	14	-	Kilkenny.
8	-	34	-	10	-	28	-	18	-	62	-	Kilmainham.
-	-	36	-	2	-	13	-	2	-	39	-	Limerick, Male.
-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	3	Limerick, Female.
7	-	20	-	6	-	3	1	13	-	23	1	Londonderry.
15	-	188	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	188	-	Mountjoy.
-	1	12	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	13	-	Sligo.
-	1	8	3	1	-	3	-	1	1	11	3	Trillick.
2	1	7	2	-	-	-	1	2	1	7	3	Tullamore.
2	-	9	4	-	-	2	1	2	-	11	6	Waterford.
2	-	1	1	-	-	2	-	2	-	3	1	Wexford.
												Smaller Prisons.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Carrick-on-Shannon.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Drogheda.
1	-	10	2	-	1	-	-	1	1	10	2	Keshidilla.
-	-	3	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	9	-	Mullingar.
-	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	Omagh.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Wicklow.
67	-	486	-	35	-	97	-	82	-	682	-	Males, } Total.
-	6	-	74	-	1	-	7	-	6	-	81	Females, } 1888-89.
62		559		26		104		88		693		
621				190				781				

TABLE XV.—SENTENCES OF PENAL SERVITUDE and IMPRISONMENT passed

Prisons.	Penal Servitude for 5 Years and upwards.		IMPRISONMENT FOR.													
			12 Months and upwards.		Under 12 Months and above 6.		6 Months only.		Under 6 Months and above 3.		3 Months only.		Under 3 Months and above 2.		3 Months and above 1.	
Larger Prisons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Armagh, . . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Belfast, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Castlebar, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clonsmel, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Cork, Male, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cork, Female, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dundalk, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Galway, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grangeermanan, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	8
Kilkenny, . . .	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Kilmainham, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Limerick, Male, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Limerick, Female, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Londonderry, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	8	-
Mountjoy, . . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
Sligo, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Trillick, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Tullamore, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Waterford, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wexford, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Smaller Prisons.																
Carrick-on-Shannon, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Drogheda, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Enniskillen, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mullingar, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Omagh, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wicklow, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total, Males, . . .	-	-	1	-	2	-	4	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	12	-
Total, Females, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
Total, M. and F.	-	-	1	-	2	-	4	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	15	-

on JUVENILE PRISONERS from the 1st April, 1888, to 31st March, 1889.

IMPRISONMENT FOR										Sentence respited and not passed.		Total.		Prisons.
1 Month and above 14 Days.		14 Days and above 7.		7 Days and above 48 Hours.		48 Hours.		24 Hours.						
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
1	-	15	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	-	Larger Prisons.
8	-	20	1	8	-	-	-	8	2	-	-	41	3	Armagh.
6	-	5	1	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	1	Belfast.
-	-	5	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	Castlebar.
2	-	27	-	16	-	1	-	4	-	-	-	60	-	Clonmel.
-	1	-	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	Cork, Male.
-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	Cork, Female.
2	-	2	-	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	2	Dundalk.
-	-	-	16	-	18	-	1	-	16	-	-	-	49	Galway.
2	-	5	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	Grangegorman.
1	-	21	-	18	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	42	-	Kilkenny.
2	-	2	-	6	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	26	-	Kilmalsham.
-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	Limerick, Male.
4	-	13	-	4	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	27	-	Limerick, Female.
4	-	121	-	64	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	203	-	Londonderry.
2	-	7	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	1	Mountjoy.
2	-	3	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	4	Sligo.
1	-	7	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	3	Tralee.
2	-	6	2	2	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	11	4	Tullamore.
-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	1	Waterford.
														Wexford.
Smaller Prisons.														
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Carrick-on-Shannon.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Drogheda.
-	-	-	-	7	1	3	1	1	-	-	-	11	2	Enniskillen.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mullingar.
-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	Omagh.
-	-	-	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	Wicklow.
24	-	261	-	176	-	23	-	28	-	-	-	642	-	Total, Males.
-	1	-	29	-	26	-	2	-	17	-	-	-	79	Total, Females.
35		290		202		25		40		-		641		Total, M. and F.

TABLE XVI.—CONDITION of JUVENILES as to

LARGER PRISONS.	EDUCATION ON											
	Neither Read nor Write.				Read or Read and Write Imperfectly.				Read and Write Well.			
	Under 12 years.		12 and not exceeding 16 years.		Under 12 years.		12 and not exceeding 16 years.		Under 12 years.		12 and not exceeding 16 years.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Armagh,	1	—	13	—	—	—	5	—	1	—	24	—
Belfast,	5	—	23	1	2	—	4	—	4	—	26	3
Castlebar,	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	14	1
Clonmel,	3	—	—	—	1	—	4	—	—	—	7	—
Cork, Male,	2	—	7	—	3	—	41	—	—	—	3	—
Cork, Female,	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	3
Dundalk,	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Galway,	—	—	7	2	—	—	1	1	—	—	2	—
Grangegorman,	—	—	—	16	—	—	—	20	—	1	—	11
Kilkenny,	—	—	5	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	9	—
Kilmainham,	10	—	26	—	7	—	27	—	1	—	9	—
Limerick, Male,	1	—	10	—	1	—	29	—	—	—	—	—
Limerick, Female,	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1
Londonderry,	7	—	11	—	2	—	2	—	4	—	10	1
Monajoy,	11	—	63	—	4	—	97	—	—	—	8	—
Sligo,	—	1	5	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	1	—
Trillick,	1	1	2	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	6	2
Tullamore,	2	—	3	—	—	1	4	3	—	—	—	—
Waterford,	2	—	6	3	—	—	4	2	—	—	1	—
Wexford,	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	1
Total, Males,	45	—	207	—	22	—	228	—	14	—	124	—
Total, Females,	—	2	—	27	—	1	—	27	—	2	—	23
Total, M. and F.,	47		234		23		255		16		147	
Gross Total,	281				278				163			

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COMMITTEAL.

Superior Instruction-				Could not be ascertained.				TOTAL.				LARGE PRISONS.	
Under 12 years.		12 and not exceeding 16 years.		Under 12 years.		12 and not exceeding 16 years.		Under 12 years.		12 and not exceeding 16 years.			
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	42	-	Armagh.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	57	4	Belfast.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	16	1	Castlebar.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	11	-	Clonmel.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	61	-	Cork, Male.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	Cork, Female.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	Dundalk.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	3	Galway.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	47	Grangegorman.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	14	-	Kilkenny.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	-	62	-	Kilmainham.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	39	-	Limerick, Male.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	Limerick, Female.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	23	1	Londonderry.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	188	-	Mountjoy.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	13	-	Sligo.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	11	3	Tralee.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	7	3	Tullamore.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	11	5	Waterford.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	3	1	Wexford.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	81	-	559	-	Total, Males.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	77	Total, Females.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	86	-	636	-	Total, M. & F.	
								722				Gross Total.	

(continued.)

TABLE XVI. *concluded.*—CONDITION of JUVENILES

LARGER PRISONS.	REARER.											
	Protestant Episcopalians of Ireland.				Presbyterian.				Roman Catholics.			
	Under 12 years.		12 and not exceeding 16 years.		Under 12 years.		12 and not exceeding 16 years.		Under 12 years.		12 and not exceeding 16 years.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Armagh,	-	-	11	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	20	-
Belfast,	6	-	16	2	-	-	5	-	5	-	38	2
Cardifbar,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	16	1
Cloamel,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	11	-
Cork, Male,	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	46	-
Cork, Female,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	6
Dundalk,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Galway,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	3
Grangegorman,	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	48
Kilkenny,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	14	-
Kilmainham,	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	18	-	60	-
Limerick, Male,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	39	-
Limerick, Female,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
Londonderry,	2	-	4	-	-	-	2	-	11	-	17	1
Mountjoy,	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	16	-	184	-
Sligo,	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	12	-
Triloe,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	11	9
Tullamore,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	7	3
Waterford,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	11	6
Wexford,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	3	1
Total, Males,	9	-	40	-	-	-	8	-	72	-	611	-
Total, Females,	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	74
Total, M. and F.,	9	-	40	8	-	-	8	-	72	5	611	74
Gross Total,	52				8				612			

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RELIGION.												LARGE PRISONS.
Other Religions.				Could not be ascertained.				TOTAL.				
Under 12 years.		12 and not exceeding 16 years.		Under 12 years.		12 and not exceeding 16 years.		Under 12 years.		12 and not exceeding 16 years.		
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	42	-	Armagh.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	57	4	Belfast.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	16	1	Castlebar.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	11	-	Clenmel.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	51	-	Cork, Male.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	Cork, Female.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	Dundalk.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	3	Galway.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	47	Grangegorman.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	14	-	Kilkenny.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	-	42	-	Kilmainham.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	39	-	Limerick, Male.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	Limerick, Female.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	-	23	1	Londonderry.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	188	-	Mountjoy.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	13	-	Sligo.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	11	3	Tralee.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	7	3	Tullamore.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	11	5	Waterford.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	3	1	Wexford.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	-	659	-	Total, Males.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	77	Total, Females.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	-	664	-	Total, M. and F.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	-	722	-	Gross Total.

TABLE XVII.—No. of CONVICTED PRISONERS in Custody in the following Prisons on

LARGE PRISONS.	5 Years Penal Servitude and upwards.		3 Years and above 2.		2 Years and above 18 Months.		18 Months and above 12.		14 Months only.		Under 12 Months and above 2.		9 Months and above 6.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Armagh, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	1	-	1	3	3
Belfast, . . .	3	1	-	-	1	-	11	1	13	4	2	-	1	13
Castlebar, . . .	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Clonmel, . . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	5	-	-	-	3	-
Cork, Male, . . .	1	-	-	-	0	-	7	-	17	-	1	-	3	-
Cork, Female, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Dundalk, . . .	-	-	-	-	3	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	0	-
Galway, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	7	-	-	-	1	1
Grangegorman, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	14	-	-	-	-
Kilkenny, . . .	-	-	-	-	5	-	17	-	26	-	1	-	3	-
Kilmainham, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	6	-	1	-	4	-
Limerick, Male, . . .	-	-	-	-	2	-	7	-	3	-	-	-	4	-
Limerick, Female, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	5	-	-	-	2
Londonderry, . . .	-	-	-	-	2	-	6	-	7	-	2	-	27	-
Mountjoy, . . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	17	-	-	-	9	-
Sligo, . . .	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Tralee, . . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Tullamore, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	4	1	1	-	6	-
Waterford, . . .	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	6	1	-	-	1	1
Wexford, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	7	-	1	-	9	-
Total, Males, . . .	4	-	-	-	30	-	77	-	131	-	12	-	100	-
Total, Females, . . .	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	10	-	27	-	1	-	22
Total, M. and F.	4	-	-	-	31	-	87	-	168	-	13	-	122	-

Of the prisoners numbered in the Table above, 38 males

the 31st March, 1889, sentenced to the under-mentioned terms of Imprisonment.

6 Months only.		Under 6 Months and above 3.		3 Months only.		Under 3 Months and above 2.		2 Months and above 1.		1 Month and Under.		LARGER PRISONS.
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
8	-	3	3	3	1	1	3	8	2	20	6	Armagh.
42	20	27	12	31	13	4	1	38	10	94	58	Belfast.
2	2	1	-	20	-	-	-	3	1	11	1	Castlesbar.
8	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	8	-	15	-	Clenmel.
22	-	6	-	13	-	3	-	23	-	43	-	Cork, Male.
-	6	-	2	-	12	-	-	-	9	-	48	Cork, Female.
14	-	8	-	1	-	3	-	11	-	10	-	Dundalk.
7	-	4	2	7	4	2	-	13	5	22	3	Galway.
-	25	-	8	-	10	-	-	-	20	-	108	Grangegorman.
18	-	4	-	7	-	-	-	8	-	15	-	Kilkenny.
11	-	4	-	7	-	2	-	12	-	25	-	Kilmainham.
9	-	4	-	13	-	7	-	5	-	32	-	Limerick, Male.
-	2	-	2	-	10	-	-	-	8	-	10	Limerick, Female.
31	3	3	2	4	2	-	-	6	3	37	31	Londonderry.
44	-	18	-	15	-	1	-	56	-	101	-	Mountjoy.
6	-	3	-	-	3	0	2	1	-	14	7	Sligo.
5	-	2	-	7	2	2	1	5	1	9	-	Trillick.
12	1	4	-	6	1	-	-	15	4	13	5	Tullamore.
1	4	3	1	6	2	1	1	3	5	13	6	Waterford.
2	1	10	-	3	1	-	-	3	-	7	2	Wexford.
232	-	105	-	144	-	33	-	213	-	495	-	Total, Males.
-	64	-	32	-	61	-	8	-	65	-	314	Total, Females.
296		137		205		41		278		809		Total, M. and F.

and 7 females had passed through a Reformatory.

TABLE XVIII.—RETURN OF COMMITTEES, &c., TO BRIDEWELLS and

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BRIDEWELLS.	COUNTY.	Number of Direct Commitments of all Classes.		Number received from other Bridewells on way to County Gaol.		Number otherwise received.		Total in Bridewell.		Number of Drunkenness committed.	
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Dunblorough, . .	Cavan, . .	53	6	—	—	—	—	53	6	14	3
Ballina, . . .	Mayo, . .	124	37	—	—	—	—	124	37	22	10
Ballinasloe, . .	Galway, . .	187	18	—	—	63	6	180	24	31	11
Bantry, . . .	Cork, . .	33	5	—	—	7	2	40	7	—	—
Cahirivoca, . .	Kerry, . .	25	8	—	—	—	—	25	8	10	—
Clifton, . . .	Galway, . .	66	6	—	—	—	—	66	6	25	—
Donegal, . . .	Donegal, . .	27	1	—	—	3	1	30	2	9	—
Fernoy, . . .	Cork, . .	183	40	—	—	5	1	140	41	67	14
Kilrush, . . .	Clare, . .	77	17	—	—	40	3	128	20	47	—
Letterkenney, . .	Donegal, . .	77	15	—	—	2	—	79	15	62	12
Loughrea, . .	Galway, . .	74	3	—	—	22	1	97	4	2	—
Mallow, . . .	Cork, . .	360	25	—	—	19	—	326	65	18	2
Mitchelstown, . .	Cork, . .	22	2	—	—	16	1	48	3	18	1
New Ross, . .	Wexford, . .	12	3	10	—	20	3	42	3	12	3
Newry, . . .	Down, . .	232	56	2	4	1	2	238	64	102	26
Parsonstown, . .	King's, . .	184	47	—	—	—	1	184	48	34	12
Queenstown, . .	Cork, . .	72	12	—	—	—	—	72	12	—	—
Youghal, . . .	Cork, . .	24	9	—	—	—	—	24	9	4	1
Total, . . .		1,617	347	12	4	261	21	1,390	362	621	97

II.—LOCK-UP at ENNIS

	M.	F.
Number of Direct Commitments,	117	17
„ otherwise received,	13	3
Total,	130	20

LOCK-UP at ENNIS from 1st April, 1888, to 31st March, 1889.

BRIDEWELLS.

Sentences carried out during the above Period.								Greatest number of either sex in custody at any one time during above period.		Bridewells
24 Hours and under.		48 Hours and above 24 Hours.		7 Days and above 48 Hours.		Above 7 Days.				
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
10	1	13	2	-	-	-	-	4	2	Ballinabrogh.
2	-	9	6	22	6	-	-	5	2	Ballina.
18	6	10	6	-	-	-	-	7	2	Ballinasloe.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	Bantry.
3	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	Cahiriveen.
28	1	24	4	-	-	-	-	4	1	Clifden.
-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	Donegal.
28	2	23	11	-	-	-	-	4	1	Fermoy.
23	6	8	11	-	-	-	-	7	2	Kilrush.
60	7	23	5	-	-	-	-	5	3	Letterkenny.
1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	11	2	Loughrea.
3	1	6	1	19	2	-	-	12	4	Mallow.
7	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	3	1	Mitchelstown.
1	-	11	3	-	-	-	-	10	1	New Ross.
143	20	16	8	-	-	-	-	6	4	Newry.
1	1	20	21	81	6	-	-	8	3	Parsonstown.
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	Queenstown.
2	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	2	1	Youghal.
221	44	211	75	129	17	-	-	-	-	Total.

(opened 4th October, 1887).

M. F.

Greatest Number of Males in Custody at any one time. 12 -

" Females " " - 3

TABLE XIX.—RETURN of the STAFF of the undermentioned PRISONS on 31st March, 1869, including vacancies.

PRISONS.	Governors, Deputy Governors, and Female Superintendents.		Chief Warders and Bridewell Keepers.		Chaplains.	Surgeons and Apothecaries.	Clerics and Stenographers.	Magistrates, Assistant Magistrates, and Female Attachés at Bridewells.	Warders.	Servants.		Other Subordinate Officers.	Total.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.						M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.
LARGER PRISONS.														
Armagh,	1	—	1	—	1	1	4	9	—	—	1	15	4	
Belfast,	2	—	1	—	1	—	14	26	—	—	2	23	16	
Castellary,	1	—	1	—	1	—	2	7	—	—	—	12	2	
Downfall,	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	16	—	—	—	18	—	
Cork, Male,	2	—	1	—	1	1	—	19	—	—	1	23	1	
Cork, Female,	—	—	1	—	1	—	13	3	—	—	1	17	4	
Downfall,	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	16	—	—	1	17	1	
Galway,	1	—	1	—	1	1	2	8	—	—	1	14	3	
Grangegorman,†	—	2	1	—	1	1	10	2	—	—	1	12	19	
Kilkenny,	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	11	—	—	—	17	—	
Kilmainham,	2	—	1	—	1	1	—	14	—	—	1	23	1	
Limerick, Male,	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	14	—	—	1	23	1	
Limerick, Female,	—	—	1	—	1	—	16	2	—	—	1	19	1	
Londonderry,	1	—	1	—	1	1	6	12	—	—	1	20	6	
Mountjoy,†	2	—	1	—	1	—	—	29	2	—	—	31	—	
Sligo,	1	—	1	—	1	—	2	3	—	—	1	14	3	
Trillick,	1	—	1	—	1	—	2	8	—	—	—	13	2	
Yullamore,	1	—	1	—	1	1	2	10	—	—	1	16	4	
Waterford,	1	—	1	—	1	—	4	5	—	—	1	16	2	
Wexford,	1	—	1	—	1	—	2	7	—	—	—	12	2	
SMALLER PRISONS.														
Carraig-on-Shannon,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	1	
Drogheda,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	1	
Enniskillen,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	1	
Mullingar,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	1	
Omagh,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	1	
Wicklow,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	1	
LOCK-UP.														
Reels,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	1	
BRIDEWELLS.														
Baldinborough,	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Ballina,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Ballinacree,	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Bantry,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Cahircivan,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Clifden,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Donegal,	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Fermoy,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Kilrush,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Letterkenny,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Loughrea,	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Malin,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Mitchelstown,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
New Ross,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Newry,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Parsonstown,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Queenstown,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Youghal,	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Total, 1868-69,	21	2	45	47	30	18	160	223	2	15	2	375	137	
Total, 1867-68,	21	2	45	47	30	17	166	233	—	15	2	384	137	

† Some of the officers enumerated in the table above opposite Grangegorman and Mountjoy are also officers of the Convict Prisons there.

TABLE XX.—ESCAPES FROM LOCAL PRISONS AND BRIDEWELLS from 1st April, 1888, to 31st March, 1889.

Prison, &c., from which Escapes were effected.	Initials of Name.	Sex.	Age.	Date.	Offence of which convicted or charged.	Tried or Untried.	Whether con- fined separately or with others.	Whether retaken or not.
Loughrea Bridewell,	T. M.,	M.	21	6. 5. 88.	Assault.	Untried.	With others.	Gave himself up.

TABLE XXI.—WORKS OF RECONSTRUCTION, REPAIRS, &c., during the Year ended 31st March, 1889.

(A.)—By Contract Labour.

LARGER LOCAL PRISONS AND BRIDEWELLS.

PRISON.	Detail of Works.
Armagh, . . .	Boundary wall from gable of governor's house to gable of male prison pointed and dashed outside; governor's and chief warden's quarters papered and painted; ridge tiles and broken slates replaced on straw house outside prison.
Belfast, . . .	Pointing portion of boundary wall and B and C wings; fixing up lavatory in female officers' quarters; sundry repairs to steam boilers; repairs to heating boilers; supply and erection of cooking range at Newry Bridewell; repairs, &c., to water pipes at Newry Bridewell.
Castlebar, . . .	Fixing up lamp at entrance to male prison; erecting and fitting gas lights in carpenter's shop and hall of female prison; fitting gas in officers' quarters at front gate.
Glennel, . . .	Painting of front gate; plastering and dashing wall at front gate; coping stones on wall; entrance gate repaired; gas laid down to governor's house and new meter fitted up; repairs to pump; sundry repairs to gas and water-pipes.
Cork, Male, . . .	Nil.
Cork, Female, . . .	Fixing and erecting a weighing machine; erecting a new gate in wall leading into general stores' yard; fixing new boiler in laundry; fixing eave shoots around the hospital; repairing heating pipes in old hall; repairing the arch and flue of saddle boiler in the old hall; general repairs to roofs of all the prison.
Dundalk, . . .	Repairs to steam boiler; repairing lead on roof of prison; painting walls, Ballinacorney Bridewell; protection netting made for chapel.
Galway, . . .	General repairs to cottage attached to the prison; repairs to the water-taps in laundry of female prison; repairs to Loughrea Bridewell.

TABLE XXI.—WORKS OF RECONSTRUCTION, REPAIRS, &c.—continued.

Prisons.	Detail of Works.
Grangegorman, . . .	Setting graves in hospital and matron's quarters; repairing laundry plant and furnaces; executing sanitary improvements; building new penitentiary cell in bath-room; repainting roofs; fitting up new stores; erecting wire netting on gallery front in chapel.
Kilkenny, . . .	Flagging yard of chief warder's house; new water cocks and repairs to the supply pipe in laundry; cleaning sewer and placing observation man-hole on sewer outside prison.
Kilmainham, . . .	General repairs to roof of prison; cramping and pointing two ventilating chimney shafts; erecting three sheds at prison cottages; cementing end of deputy governor's house, and making drain round same; repainting electric bells.
Limerick, Male, . . .	Repairing hot water pipes; repairing crank wheel pumps.
Limerick, Female, . . .	Cooking range supplied and fixed in officers' quarters, and heating stove erected in storekeeper's office; six new washing troughs fitted in laundry; hospital for officers fitted up; general plumbing and keeping in repair of gas and water fittings; repairing suction pipe and shaft of crank pump; general glazing done for the year.
Londonderry, . . .	Fitting up new bath-room in female prison with hot and cold water supply; sheeting baths and shelving bath-room; enlarging laundry; bringing hot and cold water supply to wash tubs; inserting glass in inspection eyes in male prison; cutting through walls and making inspection holes in walls of hospital; forming a new entrance; clearing away gate of old lock-up; making and erecting one new wood gate; cutting through inner wall and making one new iron gate and wicket; building pier and arching opening and erecting iron gate in same; flooring office for gate warder and fixing bell to gate; removing weighbridge from old gateway to new entrance and roofing between the gates with corrugated iron; altering and repairing all cell windows and fixing same with side blocks and iron stops; repainting roofs and eave spothing of male and female prisons, governor's house, and hospital, and lead flashing on same; fixing a new wicket in gate leading to stores; taking down the bell from over tank and fixing it in bellry over prison.
Mountjoy, . . .	Electric clock fitted up.
Sligo, . . .	Inspection eyes fixed in four rooms, male and female hospitals; fixing gas pipes, brackets, and bells in same; supplying and erecting a slop sink in mill yard; sundry plumbing, gasfitting, and bell-hanging repairs throughout both prisons.
Tralee, . . .	Association cell in female prison constructed; weighbridge erected; repairs to water and ball cocks.
Tullamore, . . .	New register grates set in male hospital; heating boilers overhauled and mason work repaired; heating pipes in female prison repaired; gas introduced into new mess-room and quarters for warders; Farnestown Bridewell repaired; lock-up fitted in Kinscannon Prison.
Waterford, . . .	Large saddle boiler erected for heating male prison; a saddle boiler erected for heating water in male and female laundry; repairs to lead flashing on roof of male prison; crank and hand pumps repaired; large book-press supplied for officers and prisoners' library.
Wexford, . . .	Repairs to roof of male and female prison and officers' quarters; repairs to furnace in laundry; general repairs to wall and railing on ground outside entrance gate; sundry plumbing, bell-hanging, and gasfitting repairs throughout both prisons.

TABLE XXI.—WORKS OF RECONSTRUCTION, REPAIRS, &c.—continued.

MINOR PRISONS.

PRISONS.	Detail of Works.
Carrick-on-Shannon, . . .	Roof of governor's house and board-room repaired, and all pointed and rough-cast; chimney and roof of male prison repaired after storm; boiler and bath removed, and reset in centre of prison; roof of kitchen and ceiling repaired, and also ceilings and floor in hospital repaired.
Draghead, . . .	Walls in front and each side of passage plastered and dashed; brick chimney of laundry plastered and dashed; roof of stone shed repaired; bars put on kitchen windows; top of boundary wall all round pointed with cement; new cell bell-handles supplied and fixed; repairing roof of stone shed injured by the storm; altering and repairing waste water-pipe leading from kitchen; putting up new eave gutter and down pipe to warders' quarters and alterations to gas in same; repairing supply pipe to heating furnace glazing in cell windows.
Enniskillen, . . .	Cook-house stove repaired; laundry wash-tubs repaired; furnace repaired; top of boundary wall cemented; roofs repaired and windows glazed; new water-pipe laid from main to cook-house and entrance lodge yard; plumbing repairs through prison executed.
Mullingar, . . .	General repairs of buildings, pumps, water pipes, &c., &c., effected.
Omagh, . . .	General repairs of roofs effected; chimneys pointed with cement; parapets repaired and pointed.
Wicklow, . . .	General repairs to prison and a portion of governor's house; erecting eistem in female prison; repairing ceiling in warders' rooms; repairing roof and chimneys of female prison.

(B).—By Prisoners' Labour.

LARGER LOCAL PRISONS.

Armagh, . . .	Main sewer from female hospital opened and cleaned; new water supply laid from main at back gate to governor's house; boundary wall from gable of governor's house to gable of male prison, pointed and dashed inside; general repairs to buildings; water and gas-supply pipes; execution scaffold erected.
Belmont, . . .	Roofing two bastions at angles of boundary wall, and making doors, flooring, &c., for same; painting entrance hall, A. I. hall, and windows, roof-lights, and chapel doors; pointing walls of female separation exercise yards and south side of D wing basement; repairs to plastering of cells; flooring cook-house with concrete; repairs to waggon, barrows, stone sheds, &c.; making 40 new tables and 40 new stools for cells and general repairs to cell furniture; general repairs to gaslights, water-pipes, bells, &c.; repairs to iron gates; repairs of slating; repairs of walls, doors, &c., in old gas-house and stable; putting up new store pipe in chapel; general repairs to the ware.
Castlebar, . . .	The roofs of the different buildings repaired; large hall erected; floor of coal store and stone sheds flagged; wall in front of hospital lowered and copied; hospital and other parts of the prison painted.
Clonsilla, . . .	Painting and whitewashing prison; reconstruction of inspection office in No. 1 prison; iron plates fixed on door frames at lock; putting up new eave shoots and fittings in laundry; repairs to roof of laundry; repairs to roof of church; fireplace made in prisoners' private clothing store; floor of room at gate lodge and visiting room boarded; reception store in hall fitted with shelves.

TABLE XXI.—WORKS OF RECONSTRUCTION, REPAIRS, &c.—continued.

PRISONS.	Detail of Works.
Cork, Male, . . .	New main drain laid from central hall to stone yard; three skylights inserted in roof of new stores, laundry block; new boiler set to breaking pipes in Nos. 7 and 8 sections; new kitchen range set in deputy-governor's quarters; door opened from officers' quarters to Marshalsea; range set and alterations made in Warder Boyd's quarters; archway centre range decorated; boiler, No. 10 section, repaired; roof of main prison repaired; new gate erected on coal store; new gate hung in hospital leading to tower; old limekiln removed; beam inserted in carpenter's shop to support floor of officers' mess room; laundry block and No. 9 section furnished with twenty-two new locks; gas supply to extern lamps altered and repaired; iron framing made for netting in main prison; new water supply laid on to range and deputy-governor's quarters; new water supply laid on to Marshalsea; new bath set for officers and supplied with hot and cold water; water supply to No. 10 section altered and repaired; new water supply laid on to governor's house; gas service laid through archway prior to its being connected.
Cork, Female, . . .	Nil.
Dundalk, . . .	Four presses made for wards; repairing floors of cells; 100 sand boxes made for cells to prevent communication; new photographic house built; ten wheelbarrows repaired; two dozen mat frames; roof of prison repaired; glazing, painting, gasfitting, &c., done; ventilators in cells altered and covered with protection plates; roof of water tank in garden repaired; protection netting fitted up in chapel; window makes through prison repaired, &c.
Galway, . . .	Sanitary improvements effected; gas introduced into laundry, ironing and drying rooms of female prison; ventilators introduced into 63 cells of the male prison; all the gas brackets on corridor of the prison replaced and altered to effect a saving in consumption.
Glasgow, . . .	Nil.
Kilkenny, . . .	Wire nettings at end of landings and galleries round inspection hall completed; padded cell, A division of prison, constructed; painting, white-washing, and glazing prison; shelving fixed in reception store; repairs made to crank pump; rearrangement of gasfittings B wing; repairs to plank beds and furniture.
Kilmaleham, . . .	Painting offices and colouring walls of same; painting upper and lower hatch and colouring walls; painting boardroom and colouring walls; painting and whitewashing cells, rooms, &c., throughout the prison; painting iron railings and window bars in front of prison; whitewashing and colouring yard walls; painting and whitewashing hospital; cleaning drains and water tanks; erecting new roof on scullery and glazing and painting same; general repairs to steam boilers and furnaces.
Limerick, Male, . . .	All doors, bars, windows, rails, gates, &c., painted; all the necessary glazing done throughout the prison; the walls and roof of stone sheds repaired.
Limerick, Female, . . .	Nil.
Londonderry, . . .	Clearing away old walls of old lock-up and making road through same for new entrance gate; excavating for foundations of new gate office and putting down concrete floor in reception room at same; opening for and laying down drain pipes at new entrance gate; taking down walls and enlarging laundry; taking down and resetting boiler for baths in male prison; flooring bath-rooms and resetting baths; clearing out stores and making two new cells in male prison; carrying out general carpentering, painting, glazing, plumbing, and gasfitting repairs throughout the prison.
Mountjoy, . . .	Erecting frieze looms, and fitting up workshops, &c., in break factory; building extra water-closets; putting up new kitchen range in local officers' mess-room and repairing furnaces, &c., to kitchen boilers; fitting up stone-breaking sheds; erecting execution house, &c.

TABLE XXI.—WORKS OF RECONSTRUCTION, REPAIRS, &c.—continued.

PRISONS.	Detail of Works.
Sligo,	General painting, glazing, and whitewashing throughout both prisons.
Tralee,	Visiting room altered and refitted; door broken in from guard-room to same; new heating stove erected in drying room of laundry, female prison; fixing and refitting new surgery; old coal stove flagged for stove; new locks fitted on iron gates leading to chapel and hospital, and new locks on hospital doors; general repairs to roofs of the prison; painting and glazing throughout the prison.
Tullamore, . . .	Carpenter's shop converted into messroom and quarters for warders; two rooms in hospital doored with boards; windows in hospital repaired; partition erected in cell and vegetable store; dayroom in No. 4 male prison converted into two punishment cells; laundry and reception boilers reset; new soap boxes built in; sanitary improvements effected; repairs of pumps, gasfittings, and buildings generally executed.
Waterford, . . .	Partitioning off stairs at entrance to chapel and making two new panelled glass doors in partition; erecting protection nettings; flooring and skirting seven cells in female prison; putting glass in all inspection open of cell doors, male and female prison, and hospitals; making and fitting up padded cell in male prison; glazing roof lights; repairing coping on walls in exercise yards; repairing and painting five large gates inside boundary wall; reconstructing heating apparatus of drying closets; laid down three concrete-rings in exercise yards; new iron gate erected in male hall; general repairs in prison to cell furniture, &c.; making new cell stools; officers' quarters painted; floors stained and varnished, and floors of visiting room stained and varnished; painting, glazing, and gasfittings repaired throughout prison; limewashing male and female prison, hospitals, officers' mess and quarters, &c.
Wexford,	Erected new gate in passage leading to general store; general repairs to walls of stone sheds; repairs to boundary wall of female prison; plastering and general repairs to walls of forty-eight cells in male and thirteen in female prison; repairs to barrows, &c., in stone sheds and general repairs to cell furniture; executed all the painting, glazing, and limewashing required throughout the prison.

MINOR PRISONS.

Carrick-on-Shannon, .	NIL.
Drogheda,	Glazing cell door inspection holes.
Enniskillen,	NIL.
Mullingar,	NIL.
Omagh,	100 yards wall coping pointed with cement; roofs repaired; eave gutters of male prison and stone sheds repaired; chimneys of governor's house pointed with cement; heating furnace repaired; defective walls pointed with cement; ceilings of three cells in male prison repaired; bells repaired in male and female prison; new gate hall erected; water cocks and gas pipes repaired.
Wicklow,	Cleaned and repaired large cistern; repaired, glazed, and painted 22 cell windows, and painted wood and ironwork of the whole prison.

TABLE XXII.—INDUSTRIAL AND TRADES PURSUITS by

PRISONS.	Brush-making.	Carpentering.	Glazing.	Cooking.	Coopering.	Cutting Limes.	Gasfitting, Bell-hanging, &c.	Hair-brushing.	Knitting.	Labouring, Garden Work, &c.	Making Mats and Fences.	Making & Repairing Bedding and Clothing.	Making Firewood.	Mending and Blacksmith Work.
Larger Prisons.														
Armagh, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Belfast, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Castlbar, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clonmel, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cork, Male, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cork, Female, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dundalk, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Galway, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Grangegorman, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Kilkenney, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Kilmainham, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Limerick, Male, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Limerick, Female, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Londonderry, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mountjoy, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Shigo, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trillick, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tullamore, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Waterford, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wexford, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Smaller Prisons.														
Carrick-on-Shannon, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Drogheda, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ennistullen, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mullingar, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Omagh, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wicklow, . . .	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

NOTE.—The marks * placed opposite the name of each Prison denote that the
appear have been carried out by prisoners

LOCAL PRISONERS during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Knitting.	Cutlery, Fibre, or Toys Picking.	Painting, &c.	Printing.	Shoebinding.	Perfumery.	Quilting.	Book-binding and mending.	Sewing.	Shoemaking and Mending.	Smith Work.	Stitching.	Stone-breaking.	Taxidermy.	Tinkering.	Washing, &c.	Weaving.	Whitewashing.	Prisons.
																		Larger Prisons.
																		Armagh.
																		Belfast.
																		Castletown.
																		Clonmel.
																		Cork, Male.
																		Cork, Female.
																		Dundalk.
																		Galway.
																		Grangegorman.
																		Kilkenny.
																		Kilmainham.
																		Limerick, Male.
																		Limerick, Female.
																		Londonderry.
																		Mountjoy.
																		Sligo.
																		Tralee.
																		Tullamore.
																		Waterford.
																		Wexford.
																		Smaller Prisons.
																		Carrick-on-Shannon.
																		Drogheda.
																		Enniskillen.
																		Mullingar.
																		Omagh.
																		Wicklow.

trades or industrial work specified at head of the columns in which these marks
in the year ended 31st March, 1889.

TABLE XXIII.—COMPARATIVE TABLE, showing the Number of Prisoners committed to Local Prisons from the 1st April, 1887, to 31st March, 1888, and from that date to the 31st March, 1889, distinguishing the Sexes and Classes.

CLASS OF OFFENDERS.	To 31st March, 1888.			To 31st March, 1889.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
CONVICTED.						
At Assizes and Quarter Sessions,	338	201	1,030	501	178	1,079
Criminal Lunatics, . . .	18	4	22	17		16
Summarily:—						
Offences under Larceny Acts, .	1,108	554	1,654	1,250	463	1,713
Misdemeanours, . . .	9,505	8,352	16,257	9,438	5,875	15,373
Under Revenue Laws, . . .	188	46	182	117	42	159
Under Poor Law Acts, . . .	193	39	237	151	58	209
Under Vagrant Acts, . . .	364	352	1,416	669	528	1,192
Drunkards, . . .	11,618	7,530	19,148	10,769	6,764	17,533
By Courts-martial, . . .	193	.	193	160	.	160
Deserters, . . .	255	.	255	193	.	193
TOTAL, . . .	25,175	16,258	40,433	23,715	13,904	37,619
NOT CONVICTED.						
Acquitted, . . .	261	60	351	277	83	360
No Bills, or no Prosecution, .						
For further Examination and Discharged, . . .	2,321	403	2,724	2,225	371	2,596
TOTAL, . . .	2,582	463	3,075	2,502	454	2,956
In Custody for Trial on 31st March,	164	32	196	179	25	204
TOTAL, . . .	27,921	15,753	43,704	26,396	14,383	40,779
Committees under Civil process, .	79	3	82	79	8	87
GENERAL TOTAL, . . .	28,000	15,786	43,786	26,475	14,391	40,866

XXIV. — RETURNS SHOWING EMPLOYMENT OF PRISONERS IN LOCAL PRISONS AND ESTIMATED VALUE OF THEIR EARNINGS.

(As required by 40-41 Vict., cap. 49, section 16).

ARMAGH PRISON.

RETURN by the Governor, showing the Employment of the Prisoners and Value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
In Manufactures—				<i>£ s. d.</i>	<i>£ s. d.</i>
Tailors, &c.	—	16	16	0 2 7	
Washing, not including prisoners' clothing,	—	16	16	5 17 0	
Stone-breaking,	206	—	206	28 0 6	
Wood-cutting,	2	—	2	nil	
Kicking junk, &c.,	216	38	254	nil	
Total,	424	54	478		46 9 1
In Buildings, &c.—					
Bricklayers, Masons, &c.,	6	—	6	17 2 0	
Carpenters, &c.,	47	—	47	100 10 8	
Painters, &c.,	—	—	—	—	
Labourers, Whitewashers, &c.,	—	—	—	—	
Total,	53	—	53		117 12 8
Employments in Ordinary Service of Prison—					
Cleaning, jobbing work, &c.,	46	10	56	98 10 0	
Washing prisoners' clothing,	—	40	40	68 17 4	
Repairing all kinds of prisoners' clothing,	16	100	116	160 19 10	
Repairing all kinds of prison utensils, &c.,	4	—	4	0 11 8	
Cooking for prisoners,	30	—	30	74 4 0	
Nursing and attending sick prisoners,	—	4	4	7 11 11	
Total,	96	154	250		440 14 9
Non-effective—					
Sick,	10	6	16	—	
Incapacitated by bodily infirmity,	4	—	4	—	
Under punishment,	6	4	10	—	
Unemployed—					
Awaiting trial,	107	36	143	—	
Debtors,	10	—	10	—	
Total,	117	36	153	—	
Grand Total,	716	210	926	—	698 18 10

BELFAST PRISON.

RETURN by the Governor, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their earnings, during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year.)			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
Non-productive— Nil,	—	—	—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
In Manufactures—					
Mat-making, plaiting, and other work connected therewith,	12	—	12	40 7 9	
Shoemaking,	3	—	3	70 16 0	
Tailors,	4	—	4	100 8 0	
Book-makers and Needlewomen,	17	61	78	128 16 8	
Knitters,	—	7	7	100 8 0	
Cutting linen,	17	32	49	91 11 10	
Picking oakum, hair, tow, &c.,	63	—	63	83 16 8	
Stone-breaking,	85	—	85	267 18 3	
Carpet cleaning,	16	—	16	182 9 11	
Making firewood,	2	—	2	17 11 9	
Washing,	—	10	10	52 11 9	
Tinners,	1	—	1	38 0 0	
Total,	229	100	329		1,167 14 4
In Buildings, &c.—					
Bricklayers and Masons,	2	—	2	76 0 0	
Carpenters and Joiners,	2	—	2	76 0 0	
Painters and Glaziers,	3	—	3	98 16 0	
Labourers and Whitewashers,	4	—	4	101 6 8	
Smiths, Plumbers, &c.,	1	—	1	38 0 0	
Total,	12	—	12		390 2 8
Employment in ordinary service of Prison—					
Cleaning and jobbing work in and about the prison, prison yards and buildings,	18	7	25	475 0 0	
Washing prisoners' clothing,	—	11	11	220 0 0	
Repairing all kinds of prisoners' clothing,	5	13	18	342 0 0	
Repairing all kinds of prison utensils,	2	—	2	38 0 0	
Cooking for prisoners,	5	—	5	145 13 4	
Nursing and attending sick prisoners,	5	2	7	189 12 0	
Stoking prison furnaces,	1	—	1	25 6 8	
Total,	36	32	68		1,294 12 0
Non-effectives—					
Sick,	6	2	8	—	
Under punishment,	3	1	4	—	
Unemployed—					
Awaiting trial,	24	5	29	—	
Prisoners under Rule of Hall,	20	5	25	—	
Debtors,	1	—	1	—	
Others not told off at unlock,	16	6	22	—	
Total,	70	19	89	—	
Grand Total,	347	152	499	—	2,952 9 0

CASTLEBAR PRISON.

Return by the Governor, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their earnings, during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year.)			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
Non-productive—				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Nil,	—	—	—	—	—
In Manufactures—					
Knitting and Needlework,	—	1'29	1'29	18 10 10½	
Washing, not including prisoners' clothing,	—	0'5	0'5	8 11 0	
Stone-breaking,	8'04	—	8'04	01 18 1½	
Picking rope junk and teasing oakum,	3'75	—	3'75	27 0 0	178 18 0
Total,	11'79	1'72	13'51		
In Buildings—					
Labourers and whitewashers,	10'	0'35	10'35	100 15 0	136 15 0
Employment in ordinary service of Prison—					
Pumping water,	1'	—	1'	18 0 0	
Cleaning and jobbing work,	2'08	'31	2'39	42 11 2	
Washing prisoners' clothing,	—	1'26	1'26	18 4 9½	
Cooking for prisoners,	1'2	—	1'2	34 19 2	
Repairing all kinds of prisoners' clothing,	'75	1'	1'75	28 8 0	148 0 1½
Total,	4'95	2'49	7'47		
Non-effective—					
Stok,	0'41	0'11	'52		
Under punishment,	'14	—	'14		
Awaiting trial,	0'08	2'41	0'19		
Others not told off at unloading,	1'	0'31	1'31		
Total,	7'23	2'43	10'06	—	
Grand Total,	24'	7'00	41'09	—	820 8 1½

CLONMEL PRISON.

RETURNS by the GOVERNORS showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1869.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
In Manufactures:—				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Washing,	7	—	7	140 8 7	
Wood cutting,	1	—	1	1 8 6	
Rope and Oakum picking,	21	—	21	—	
	29	—	29		141 12 1
In Buildings:—					
Labourers and whitewashers,	6	—	6	135 1 4	
	6	—	6		135 1 4
Employment in Ordinary Service of Prison:—					
Cleaning and jobbing work in Prison,	4	—	4	62 8 6	
Washing prisoners' clothing,	2	—	2	31 10 0	
Repairing all kinds of Prison clothing,	3	—	3	59 5 8	
Cooking for prisoners,	1	—	1	58 16 7	
Pumping water,	7	—	7	45 2 8	
	17	—	17		247 19 1
Non-Effective:—					
Sick,	2	—	2		
Under punishment,	1	—	1		
Unemployed,	9	—	9		
	12	—	12		
Grand Total,	44	—	44	—	424 12 8

CORK (MALE) PRISON.

Return by the Governor, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1883.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
Manufacturing Department:—				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Rope and oakum picking,	7877	—	7877	162 13 0	
Matmaking, plaiting, and other works in connection therewith,	2460	—	2460	15 18 3	
Shoemakers,	171	—	171	87 19 6	
Tailors,	1	—	1	32 11 3	
Brushmakers,	33	—	33	4 18 10	
Stone-breakers,	302	—	302	3 11 10	
Tinners,	37	—	37	11 8 0	
Firewood-making,	371	—	371	15 14 7	
Coopering,	34	—	34	1 4 1	
	11461	—	11461		216 19 4
Buildings, &c.:—					
Masons and plasterers,	56	—	56	17 5 11	
Carpenters,	6	—	6	13 1 0	
Painters and glaziers,	7	—	7	18 10 7	
Blacksmiths,	17	—	17	5 3 0	
Labourers and whitewashers,	1595	—	1595	334 18 2	
	1798	—	1798		369 16 3
Ordinary Service of Prison:—					
Cleaning and jobbing work,	1087	—	1087	144 11 5	
Washing prisoners' clothing,	7	—	7	28 2 0	
Repairing all kinds of prisoners' clothing and bedding,	219	—	219	37 0 0	
Cooking for prisoners,	3	—	3	87 5 0	
Crank, flushing sewers, &c.	2	—	2	5 12 6	
	2506	—	2506		343 2 11
Non-Effective:—					
Sick in Hospital,	463	—	463	NIL	
Under punishment,	138	—	138		
Unemployed,	711	—	711		
Awaiting trial,	2407	—	2407		
Debtors,	11	—	11		
	3730	—	3730		
Grand Total,	—	—	195	—	278 18 6

CORK (FEMALE) PRISON.

RETURN by the CHIEF WARDER, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners, for working days of the year.			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
In Manufacture:—				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Knitters and needlewomen,	—	46	46	701 10 0	
Washing,	—	1	1	6 12 6	
Total,	—	47	47		708 2 6
In Buildings:—					
Labourers and whitewashers,	—	2	2	45 15 0	
Total,	—	2	2		45 15 0
Employment in Ordinary Service of Prison:—					
Cleaning and jobbing work in and about the prison and prison yards,	—	5	5	89 12 2	
Washing prisoners' clothing,	—	4	4	66 1 8	
Repairs to all kinds of prisoners' clothing,	—	3	3	49 11 5	
Cooking for prisoners,	—	1	1	29 4 7	
Total,	—	13	13		327 9 9
Non-Effectives:—					
Sick,	—	3	3		
Under punishment,	—	1	1		
Total,	—	4	4		
Unemployed:—					
Awaiting trial,	—	7	7		
Others not told off at unlockings,	—	2	2		
Total,	—	9	9		
Grand Total,	—	75	75	—	981 7 6

DUNDALK PRISON.

RETURN by the GOVERNOR showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
Non-Productive:—				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Crank,	472	—	472	—	35 17 8
In Manufacturing:—					
Mat-making, plaiting, winding, and other works connected therewith,	21'998	—	21'998	10 8 6	
Stone-breaking,	2'737	—	2'737	8 7 3	
Splitting wood,	1'	—	1'	2 19 4	
Rope picking,	29'918	—	29'918	4 5 3	
Total,	53'653	—	53'653		21 18 4
In Buildings, &c.:—					
Labourers and whitewashers,	7'29	—	7'29	—	184 13 7
Employment in Ordinary Service of Prison:—					
Cleaning and jobbing work in and about the prison and prison yards and buildings (exclusive of building work of any kind),	8'086	—	8'086	118 17 3	
Washing prisoners' clothes,	3'745	—	3'745	71 3 10	
Repairing all kinds of prisoners' clothes, .	1'75	—	1'75	28 5 6	
Cooking for prisoners,	2'	—	2'	68 5 4	
Total,	13'686	—	13'686		278 11 5
Non-Effective:—					
Sick,	1'46	—	1'46		
Under punishment,	1'49	—	1'49		
Awaiting trial,	5'095	—	5'095		
Debtors,	287	—	287		
Total,	7'862	—	7'862		
Grand Total,	89'	—	89'	—	555 0 0

GALWAY PRISON.

RETURN by the GOVERNOR, showing the Employment of the Prisoners and Value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889,

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
In Manufactures—				<i>£ s. d.</i>	<i>£ s. d.</i>
Stonebreaking,	6.07	—	6.07	2 6 9	
Picking oakum,	28.781	—	28.781	3 3 0	
Cutting firewood, . . . . .	.451	—	.451	2 11 10	
Washing,	—	1.	1.	NIL.	
Total,	34.272	1.	35.273		8 1 7
In Buildings—					
Carpenters, . . . . .	.208	—	.208	3 17 6	
Painters, . . . . .	.186	—	.186	3 0 6	
Labourers and Whitewashers,	6.084	—	6.084	133 14 3	
Total,	7.058	—	7.058		140 12 5
Employments in ordinary service of Prison—					
Cleaning and jobbing work in and about Prison,	4.	1.	5.	78 5 0	
Washing prisoners' clothes,	—	3.120	3.120	47 4 10	
Repairing all kinds of prisoners' clothes, . . . . .	.611	7.377	7.988	135 4 11	
Cooking for prisoners,	2.	—	2.	87 13 10	
Nursing and attending sick prisoners, . . . . .	.082	.078	.160	3 12 3	
Total,	6.698	11.604	18.267		319 6 10
Non-effective—					
Sick,	1.15	1.107	2.257	—	
Under punishment, . . . . .	.438	.338	.776	—	
Awaiting trial,	14.8	.847	15.647	—	
Debarred, . . . . .	.005	—	.005	—	
Total,	16.396	1.292	17.688	—	
Grand Total,	64.410	14.684	79.	—	467 15 1

RETURN (as above) for GRANGEGORMAN PRISON.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
In Manufactures—				<i>£ s. d.</i>	<i>£ s. d.</i>
Knitters and Needlewomen,	—	117.36	117.36	1,783 17 6	
Washing for Departments,	—	33.78	33.78	431 6 10	
Picking straw,	—	27.30	27.30	328 10 2	
Total,	—	188.42	188.42		2,532 14 8
Employments in ordinary service of Prison—					
Cleaning prison,	—	24.45	24.45	273 14 7	
Washing prisoners' clothing,	—	11.88	11.88	160 11 6	
Nursing and attending sick prisoners,	—	10.21	10.21	198 18 0	
Whitewashing,	—	1.23	1.23	12 2 2	
Total,	—	47.87	47.87		668 9 0
Non-effective—					
Sick,	—	12.70	12.70	—	
Under punishment,	—	.50	.50	—	
Unemployed,	—	23.51	23.51	—	
Total,	—	42.71	42.71	—	
Grand Total,	—	289.	289.	—	3,202 8 8

KILKENNY PRISON.

RETURN by the GOVERNOR, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
In Manufactures—					
Firewood,	421	—	421	5 14 9	
Shoemaking,	5191	—	5191	116 13 0	
Tailoring,	1908	—	1908	45 10 0	
Sock-making,	30325	—	30325	113 3 9	
Picking oakum,	34934	—	34934	1 14 7	
Brush-making,	335	—	335	7 4 6	
Total,	82644	—	82644		281 6 1
In Buildings—					
Carpenters,	793	—	793	25 7 10	
Labourers and whitewashers,	2016	—	2016	46 7 0	
Smiths,	615	—	615	20 7 0	
Total,	3614	—	3614		55 1 10
Employments in ordinary service of Prison—					
Pumping water,	5324	—	5324	42 16 6	
Cleaning and jobbing work,	6226	—	6226	101 3 0	
Washing prison clothing, &c.,	2187	—	2187	51 9 6	
Cooking,	1	—	1	22 14 6	
Stoking prison furnaces,	5	—	5	16 15 4	
Nursing,	269	—	269	8 4 0	
Total,	16622	—	16622		241 3 6
Non-effectives—					
Sick	348	—	348	—	
Punishments,	1309	—	1309	—	
Unemployed, trial, &c.,	12439	—	12439	—	
Total,	14096	—	14096	—	
Grand Total,	116766	—	116766	—	427 11 6

KILMAINHAM PRISON.

RETURN by the GOVERNOR, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1899.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
Non-productive,	—	—	—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
In Manufactures—					
Oakum picking,	176	—	176	3 7 6	
Wood splitting,	3	—	3	7 12 6	
Sack-making,	55-23	—	55-23	120 8 15	
Total,	65-95	—	65-95		151 8 10
In Buildings—					
Painters and glaziers,	1	—	1	23 0 10	
Labourers and whitewashers,	2	—	2	50 16 8	
Total,	3	—	2		83 17 6
Employment in ordinary service of Prison—					
Cleaning and jobbing-work,	7	—	7	153 8 9	
Repairing all kinds of prison clothing,	1-75	—	1-75	33 7 2	
Cooking for prisoners,	2	—	2	58 9 3	
Nursing and attending sick prisoners,	75	—	75	17 3 1	
Stoking prison furnaces,	1	—	1	25 8 4	
Total,	12-5	—	12-5		267 16 6
Non-effective.—					
Awaiting trial, bail, and first-class misdemeanants, and debtors,	67	—	67	—	
Sick,	4-5	—	4-5	—	
Punishments,	75	—	75	—	
Total,	62-5	—	62-5	—	
Grand Total,	146	—	146	—	482 3 15

LIMERICK (MALE) PRISON.

RETURNS by the GOVERNOR, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
In Manufactures:—				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Mat-making, plaiting, and other works connected therewith,	5.0	—	5.0	14 2 8	
Making up firewood, &c.,	12.0	—	12.0	8 0 8	
Stone breaking,	30.0	—	30.0	48 18 9	
Picking cotton,	7.0	—	7.0	5 2 7	
Total,	54.0	—	54.0		76 19 9
In Buildings, &c.:—					
Bricklayers and Masons,	0.25	—	0.25	9 11 3	
Carpenters,	0.25	—	0.25	9 11 3	
Painters and glaziers,	2.50	—	2.50	32 17 6	
Labourers and whitewashers,	10.0	—	10.0	256 0 0	
Total,	13.0	—	13.0		337 0 0
Employment in ordinary service of Prison:—					
Cleaning and jobbing work in and about prison yards and buildings, &c.,	6.0	—	6.0	114 18 0	
Repairing prison clothing,	2.0	—	2.0	38 8 0	
Pumping water,	7.0	—	7.0	38 8 0	
Repairing utensils,	0.50	—	0.50	9 11 3	
Cooking,	2.0	—	2.0	68 18 0	
Attending sick and insane prisoners,	0.50	—	0.50	11 9 6	
Total,	18.0	—	18.0		279 18 9
Non-Effectives, &c.:—					
Sick,	0.75	—	0.75	—	
Punishment,	0.50	—	0.50	—	
Awaiting trial, Debtors, and First-class Madmen,	19.75	—	19.75	—	
Total,	21.0	—	21.0		
Grand Total,	108.0	—	108.0		708 18 8

LIMERICK (FEMALE) PRISON.

RETURN by the CHIEF WARDER, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
In Manufactures:—				<i>£ s. d.</i>	<i>£ s. d.</i>
Knitters and needlewomen for prison officers and general public,	—	1	1	4 16 5	
Washing for prison officers, as per approved scale.	—	1'83	1'83	No profit realized.	4 16 5
Total,	—	2'83	2'83		
Employment in ordinary Prison services:—					
Cleaning and jobbing in and about prison, and pumping water,	—	12'36	12'36	235 2 2	
Washing all kinds of prisoners' clothing, .	—	7'13	7'13	136 4 2	
Repairing do. do. do. .	—	16'03	16'03	310 11 3	
Cooking for prisoners,	—	1'00	1'00	29 14 6	716 19 1
Total,	—	36'52	36'52		
Non-Effective:—					
Sick,	—	'47	'47	—	
Under punishment,	—	'73	'73	—	
Unemployed and awaiting trial, . . .	—	2'15	2'15	—	
Total,	—	3'35	3'35	—	
Grand Total,	—	42'75	42'75	—	716 19 1

LONDONDERRY PRISON.

RETURN by the GOVERNOR, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
In Manufactures:—				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Rope and oakum picking,	46'283	6'875	53'158	1 18 4	
Tailoring and needlework,	4'	5'070	12'800	5 2 8½	
Shoemaking,	1'642	—	1'642	5 13 3	
Mat-making and plaiting,	5'401	—	5'401	9 13 9	
Cutting firewood,	5'453	—	5'453	5 12 6	
Knitting,	—	11'118	11'118	8 14 5½	
Stoneworking,	12'835	—	12'835	10 10 11	
Washing, not including prisoners' clothing,	—	1'321	1'321	3 8 10	
Tinsmiths,	'35	—	'35	0 6 1	48 0 1
Total,	79'453	22'305	107'858	—	
In Buildings, &c.:—					
Carpenters,	'24	—	'24	4 11 3	
Labourers,	10'742	—	10'742	154 16 0	
Smiths,	'43	—	'43	6 9 8	187 5 3
Total,	11'413	—	11'413	—	
Employment in ordinary Service of Prison:					
Cleaning prison,	18'153	2'104	19'257	145 0 7	
Washing prisoners' clothing,	—	2'234	2'234	25 10 0	
Cooking for prisoners,	—	2'	2'	57 15 5	228 6 4
Total,	18'153	4'338	22'491	—	
Non-effectives:—					
Sick,	'7	'181	'188	—	
Under punishment,	'918	'871	1'789	—	
Unemployed,	16'318	2'893	19'211	—	
Total,	17'233	3'855	21'088	—	—
Grand Total,	121'36	27'051	148'411	—	445 13 2

MOUNTJOY (LOCAL) PRISON.

RETURN by the GOVERNOR, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Pe- males.	Total.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
In Manufactures—					
Brush-making,	5568	—	—	45 12 3	
Oakum picking,	314891	—	—	9 12 4	
Plaiting yarn, scrub making, &c., . . .	81783	—	—	381 17 2½	
Sack making,	6109	—	—	18 2 7	
Stone-breaking,	39214	—	—	13 12 0	
Weaving frieze, &c.,	8743	—	—	185 2 2	
Total,	990294	—	—	—	632 19 6
In Buildings—					
Bricklayers,	718	—	—	8 0 0	
Carpenters, turners, and tinnern, . . .	1819	—	—	89 2 6	
Painters	898	—	—	29 11 6	
Labourers,	19163	—	—	260 0 6	
Whitewashers,	243	—	—	6 3 4	
Total,	18381	—	—	—	370 17 4
Employments in Ordinary Service of Prison—					
Cleaning, &c.,	11723	—	—	221 18 9	
Cooking for prisoners,	6603	—	—	118 12 7	
Repairing prisoners' clothes, shoes, &c., .	19589	—	—	872 8 2	
Total,	35395	—	—	—	711 15 1
Non-Effectives—					
Sick,	6332	—	—	—	
Under punishment,	987	—	—	—	
Unemployed,	37447	—	—	—	
Total,	44766	—	—	—	—
Grand Total,	299688	—	—	—	1,723 11 11

SLIGO PRISON.

RETURN by the GOVERNOR, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Non-productive— Treadwheel,	11'02	—	11'02	—	
Total,	11'02	—	11'02		
Manufactures— Oakum picking,	14'	2'78	16'78	0 13 3	
Stone breaking,	'47	—	'47	7 6 3	
Making firewood,	3'78	—	3'78	5 13 11	
Hair-teasing,	'36	—	'36	0 19 0	
Washing,	—	1'	1'	19 14 1	
Total,	19'61	2'78	22'39		27 8 8
Buildings— Whitewashing,	'18	—	'18	4 11 2	
Painting,	'16	—	'16	5 8 8	
Blacksmiths,	'02	—	'02	1 2 3	
Total,	'37	—	'37		11 2 7
Employments in ordinary service of Prison: Cleaning and jobbing work in and about the prison and prison yards and buildings (exclusive of building work of any kind),	3'13	'90	4'03	31 3 6	
Washing,	—	2'40	2'40	45 12 0	
Tailoring,	'45	—	'45	11 19 4	
Shoemaking,	'22	—	'22	5 17 0	
Tinsmithing,	'17	—	'17	8 9 2	
Knitting,	—	3'34	3'34	80 15 4	
Sewing,	—	3'14	3'14	47 14 6	
Cooking,	1'	—	1'	25 2 8	
Gardening,	'73	—	'73	14 8 8	
Nursing,	'43	'13	'56	12 14 0	
Labourers,	1'79	—	1'79	45 6 11	
Total,	7'95	9'91	17'86		231 3 2
Non-effective— Sick in cells,	1'03	'19	2'03	—	
Under punishment,	'64	'17	'81	—	
Unemployed— Awaiting trial, and first-class misdemeanants,	9'56	1'76	11'31	—	
Hospital,	'37	—	'37	—	
Otherwise not told off at unlocking,	'64	'43	1'07	—	
Total,	12'28	2'70	14'98	—	
Grand Total,	52'10	12'77	64'87	—	309 14 8

TRALEE PRISON

RETURN by the GOVERNOR, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year.)			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Non-productive—					
Oakum picking,	19	—	19		
In Manufactures—					
Stone breaking,	64	—	64	11 1 5	
Splitting and tying wood,	13	—	13	9 15 7	
Total,	77	—	77		20 17 3
In Buildings—					
Painters and Glaziers,	5	—	5	19 18 2	
Labourers and Whitewashers, . . .	425	15	44	111 9 4	
Total,	430	15	5		131 4 6
In ordinary service of the Prison—					
Cleaning and jobbing in and about the prison,	438	59	497	94 8 7	
Washing prisoners' clothes,	—	15	15	28 10 0	
Repairing all kinds of prisoners' clothes,	92	413	505	65 19 0	
Cooking for prisoners,	—	1	1	24 19 7	
Total,	530	732	1262		263 17 2
Non-effective—					
Sick,	29	27	56	—	
Under punishment,	77	58	135	—	
Unemployed,	1453	124	1577		
Total,	1559	109	1748	—	
Grand Total,	6274	895	517	—	486 18 11

TULLAMORE PRISON.

Returns by the Governor showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
In Manufactures:—				<i>£ s. d.</i>	<i>£ s. d.</i>
Sack-sewing.	83-601	—	83-601	16 4 2	
Washing officers' clothing.	—	1*	1*	8 7 1	
Rope-picking.	3-333	4-411	6-249	1 7 4	
Knitting and needlework.	—	135	135	1 8 10	
Total.	86-934	5-546	92-480		104 2 5
In Buildings:—					
Bricklayers and masons.	0-00	—	0-00	8 0 0	
Carpenters.	0-00	—	0-00	11 7 8	
Labourers and whitewashers.	1-016	118	1-184	28 15 0	
Painters.	0-00	—	0-00	6 15 0	
Total.	1-016	118	1-894		43 15 6
In ordinary Service of Prison:—					
Cooking for prisoners.	2*	—	2*	58 5 4	
Cleaning prison, labouring, and jobbing, &c.	6-000	1-500	7-500	143 8 8	
Repairing clothing and bedding.	0-00	4-184	4-184	133 6 8	
Washing do. do.	—	2-322	2-322	44 2 8	
Cutting firewood.	0-00	—	0-00	0 9 0	
Teasing fibre for bedding.	0-00	0-45	0-45	17 8 6	
Total.	6-000	10-351	16-351		396 13 1
Non-Effectives:—					
Nursing.	—	1-245	1-245	—	
Sick.	2-041	1-225	3-266	—	
Under punishment.	7-60	0-00	7-60	—	
Unemployed:—					
Awaiting trial, &c.	8-282	2-090	10-372	—	
Total.	11-383	4-730	16-113		
Grand Total.	61-363	20-775	82-138		544 11 0

WATERFORD PRISON.

RETURN by the GOVERNOR, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily average number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
In Manufactures:—					
Knitting,	—	638	638	97 2 0	
Cutting and preparing firewood, . . .	433	—	433	62 2 0	
Stonebreaking,	67	—	67	17 0 0	
Picking oakum,	2565	602	3167	—	
Washing (not including prison clothing), . .	—	720	720	105 0 0	
Total,	3064	2260	5324	—	311 4 6
In Buildings:—					
Painters,	46	—	46	15 8 4	
Blacksmith,	62	—	62	23 16 0	
Labourers and whitewashers,	360	24	384	100 1 8	
Total,	468	24	492	—	139 0 0
Employment in ordinary Service of Prison:—					
Cleaning and jobbing, &c.,	236	200	436	84 0 3	
Cooking for prisoners,	242	—	242	70 10 0	
Repairing prisoners' shoes, clothing, and bedding, &c.,	134	18	252	49 17 6	
Washing prisoners' clothing & bedding, .	144	242	420	81 2 6	
Pumping water,	107	—	107	16 8 0	
Stoking,	110	—	110	28 1 8	
Nursing and attending sick prisoners, .	32	253	285	66 0 6	
Total,	1036	613	1649	—	408 6 11
Non-Effectives:—					
Sick,	172	134	326	—	
Awaiting trial, bail, debtors, &c., . .	248	137	385	—	
Punishments,	67	14	81	—	
Total,	487	285	772	—	—
Grand Total,	6169	5422	11591	—	858 11 6

WEXFORD PRISON.

Return by the GOVERNOR, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily average number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
				<i>£ s. d.</i>	<i>£ s. d.</i>
Non-Productive :—	—	—	—	—	—
In Manufactures :—					
Knitters, &c.	—	'13	'13	0 5 0	
Matmaking, plaiting, &c., &c.,	3'65	—	3'65	15 1 0	
Picking junk and oakum,	6'14	—	6'14	18 7 6	
Shoemakers,	'13	—	'13	3 3 1	
Stonebreakers,	4'63	—	4'63	3 11 11	
Tailors,	'29	—	'29	8 3 8	
Washing, not including prisoners' clothing,	—	'43	'43	0 15 7	
Wood-cutters,	1'84	—	1'84	1 4 4	
Total,	16'41	'56	16'97		48 17 10
In Buildings, &c. :—					
Carpenters,	'73	—	'73	21 17 3	
Labourers and whitewashers,	'33	—	'33	3 13 3	
Masons,	'03	—	'03	0 12 2	
Painters and glaziers,	'86	—	'86	10 0 2	
Smiths,	'25	—	'25	7 12 0	
Total,	1'7	—	1'7		45 15 10
Employment in Ordinary Service of Prison :					
Cleaning and jobbing work in and about the prison yards and buildings (exclusive of building work),	10'76	1'66	12'42	167 2 3	
Cooking for prisoners,	'17	'81	'98	13 17 0	
Pumping water,	'6	—	'6	13 13 7	
Repairing all kinds of prison clothing,	1'46	3'33	4'79	89 4 7	
Washing prisoners' clothing,	'33	1'63	1'96	24 4 0	
Total,	13'48	7'43	20'91		338 1 4
Non-Effectives :—					
Sick,	'7	'13	'20		
Under punishment,	'26	'66	'92		
Unemployed—					
Awaiting trial,	4'13	1'01	5'14		
Debtors,	'29	'62	'91		
Total,	5'42	1'63	7'05		
Grand Total,	31'08	9'43	40'51	—	428 15 0

MINOR PRISONS.

CARRICK-ON-SHANNON PRISON.

RETURNS by the CHIEF WARDEN, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings, during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Non-productive :—					
Pumping water,	219	—	219		
Oakum picking,	666	089	755		
Total,	885	089	974		
Employment in ordinary service of Prison :—					
Cleaning and jobbing work in and about the prison and prison yards and buildings, exclusive of building work of any kind.	451	149	1050	20 10	
Repairs to bedding and clothing, . . .	139	099	238	3 10 0	
Washing bedding and clothing, . . .	—	142	142	2 5 0	
Total,	590	390	1350		26 3 5
Non-Effective :—					
Unemployed, Remands, Awaiting trial, .	1798	356	2154		
Grand Total,	3704	835	4539	—	26 3 5

DROGHEDA PRISON.

RETURN by the CHIEF WARDEN, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Manufactures—					
Picking oakum,	1'351	—	1'351	0 17 6	
Stonebreaking,	006	—	006	0 10 0	
Splitting wood,	024	—	024	4 0 0	
Knitting,	—	012	012	0 11 4	
Sewing,	—	042	042	0 6 6	
Tallowing,	033	—	033	0 15 0	
Washing,	—	03	03	5 0 0	
					12 0 4
Total,	1'814	064	1'886		
Ordinary service of Prison—					
Cleaning prison,	001	048	1'254	0 10 0	
Whitewashing,	005	—	005	1 5 0	
Gardening,	022	—	022	2 0 0	
Nursing,	—	012	012	2 11 0	
					15 6 0
Total,	1'108	075	1'183		
Non-Effective—					
Sick,	—	005	005	—	
Unemployed,	2'118	02	2'120	—	
Total,	2'118	029	2'147		
Grand Total,	4'737	1'346	6'083		27 3 4

ENNISKILLEN PRISON.

RETURN by the CHIEF WARDEN, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings, during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Buildings—					
Labourers and whitewashers,	16	—	16	2 15 6	
Labourers and whitewashers,	006	—	006	0 10 8	
Wood-cutters,	32	—	32	2 10 8	
Do.,	03	—	03	1 4 6	
Total,	456	—	456		7 6 11
Employments in ordinary service of prison—					
Cleaning and jobbing-work in and about the prison and prison yards and buildings (exclusive of building works of any kind),	006	—	006	1 5 6	
Washing prisoners' clothing,	—	01	01	1 18 9	
Repairing all kinds of prison clothing,	—	002	002	0 10 0	
Washing prisoners' clothing,	—	10	10	1 6 10½	
Repairing prison clothing,	—	002	002	0 4 4½	
Total,	006	114	12		5 5 0
Non-effectives—					
Unemployed,	09	06	15		
Grand Total,	1762	174	1936		12 11 11

MULLINGAR PRISON.

RETURN by the CHIEF WARDEN showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year.)			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
In Manufactures:—				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Stone breakers,	637	—	637	2 1 6	
Rope pickers,	322	128	450	0 4 0	
Knitters,	—	129	129	0 6 8	2 12 4
Total,	1059	257	1316	2 12 4	
In Buildings:—					
Painters,	38	—	38	0 8 8	
Carpenters,	616	—	616	0 7 6	
Whitewashers,	66	—	66	1 5 0	
Labourers,	6	—	6	11 7 8	18 8 8
Total,	706	—	706	—	
Employment in Ordinary Service of Prison:—					
Cleaners and jobbers,	374	663	1037	7 18 9	
Washers of clothing and bedding,	—	22	22	4 0 0	
Repairers of clothing and bedding,	63	103	166	0 17 8	12 10 3
Total,	437	786	1223	—	
Non-Effective:—					
Sick,	29	68	97	—	
In punishment,	61	—	61	—	
Unemployed,	—	33	33	—	
Awaiting trial,	1437	282	1719	—	
Total,	1727	383	2110	—	
Grand Total,	3813	1422	5235	—	28 17 8

OMAGH PRISON.

RETURNS by the CHIEF WARDEN, showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year.)			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
Non-Productive:—				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Oskum picking,	276	613	889	—	
Total,	276	613	889	—	
In Manufactures:—					
Stone-breaking,	519	—	519	4 5 5	
Wood cutting for public Departments, .	223	—	223	1 14 0	5 19 5
Total,	739	—	739	—	
In buildings:—					
Painting and glazing,	985	—	985	2 16 4	
Bricklaying,	903	—	903	0 2 0	
Carpentering,	908	—	908	0 7 6	
Gasfitting and plumbing,	909	—	909	0 7 6	
Plastering and Slating,	914	—	914	0 12 6	
Labouring and whitewashing,	437	—	437	11 1 8	
Smiths and Fitters,	919	—	919	0 18 0	16 3 0
Total,	578	—	578	—	
Employment in Ordinary Service of Prison:—					
Cleaning and jobbing work in and about the prison and prison yards and buildings (exclusive of building work of any kind),	322	118	440	7 7 0	
Washing prisoners' clothing,	998	962	1960	1 6 8	
Repairing all kinds of prisoners' clothing, .	983	121	1104	4 1 3	
Repairing all kinds of prison utensils, .	909	—	909	0 3 2	
Nursing and attending sick prisoners, .	919	920	1839	1 1 0	
Repairing prisoners' bedding, &c., . .	936	—	936	0 13 9	14 13 0
Total,	444	1234	1778	—	

OMAGH PRISON—continued.

Description of Employment.	Daily Average Number of Prisoners (for working days of the year).			Value of Prisoners' Labour.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
Non-Effective:—				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Sick,	'099	'323	'422	—	
Unemployed,	'384	'118	'502	—	
Awaiting trial,	1'236	'378	1'614	—	
Debtors,	'079	—	'079	—	
Under punishment,	'049	'014	'063	—	
Total,	1'835	'833	2'668	—	
Grand Total,	2'950	'874	3'824	—	36 15 5

WICKLOW PRISON.

RETURN by the CHIEF WARDER showing the employment of the Prisoners and value of their Earnings during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Non-productive,	—	—	—	—	—
In Manufactures:—					
Oakum picking,	1'10	—	1'10	—	—
In Buildings:—					
Painters,	'764	—	'764	25 4 10	25 4 10
Employment in ordinary service of Prison:—					
Cleaning and jobbing work throughout the prison, including whitewashing, .	2'185	'290	2'475	46 12 1	
Repairing prisoners' clothing, . . .	'325	'102	'427	6 8 1	
Washing prisoners' clothing, . . .	—	'400	'400	7 12 6	60 12 8
Total,	2'511	'892	3'403	—	
Non-effectives,	—	—	—	—	—
Gross Total,	4'185	'892	5'077	—	85 17 6

CONVICT PRISONS.

DOWNPATRICK CONVICT PRISON.

CHIEF WARDER'S REPORT.

H. M. Prison, Downpatrick,

4th May, 1889.

DOWN-
PATRICK
CONVICT
PRISON.*Chief
Warder's
Report.*

SIR,—In accordance with the Board's directions, I have the honour to submit my annual report, together with the usual statistics, for the year ended 31st March, 1889.

The conduct of the subordinate officers has been satisfactory, and they have generally discharged their duties with zeal and efficiency, except in one case, where an officer, through his own carelessness and want of judgment, got himself assaulted by a convict. Mr. Murphy, who was Governor of the prison since 1884, was promoted to Galway Prison, and Mr. Andrews was appointed in his stead, on promotion from Kilmainham, but has since been promoted to Clonmel, and the Board has been pleased to leave me in charge since. One officer joined the staff from Mountjoy Prison, and one was discharged from the service on medical grounds.

I regret to report the resignation of the Rev. Robert Headley, who was Roman Catholic Chaplain since the prison opened in 1884. The Rev. Richard Storey was appointed in his stead.

The general conduct of the convicts has been good; one assault was committed on a warder with a shovel by a life-sentence convict, and two convicts assaulted each other, for which they were put in restraint chains.

Ten (10) convicts were committed from Mountjoy Prison, and nine (9) were released on licence.

The employments of the convicts, as in past years, have consisted of shoemaking, tailoring, woodcutting, matmaking, stonemaking, and garden work; and the carpentry, tin-smithing, plumbing, gasfitting, &c., in connexion with the general repairs and requirements of the prison have been executed by convict labour.

School instruction has been given to such of the convicts as require it on each evening from six to seven o'clock, and I am glad to say that many of the convicts have derived much benefit from it.

The new store arrangements introduced into the prison during the year have worked well; the clerk and setting storekeeper being very zealous and efficient in carrying out his duties.

The Medical Officer and Chaplain have been very punctual in their attendance, and painstaking in their respective duties.

I certify that to the best of my belief the rules laid down for the government of the prison have been complied with in every instance, except in such cases as have been reported or brought under the notice of the Board.

I have the honour to be, sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. D. McMANUS, G.W.

The Chairman, General Prisons Board,
Dublin Castle.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

Downpatrick Convict Prison,
3rd May, 1889.

DOWN-
PATRICK
CONVICT
PRISON.

Roman
Catholic
Chaplain's
Report.

SIR,—I beg to submit my report for the time I have been Chaplain to the above prison—since August, 1888. During this time I have found the conduct of the prisoners satisfactory. With very few exceptions they give uniform and earnest attention to their religious duties, and show a disposition to profit by the instruction and advice they receive.

I have the honour to be, sir,
Your obedient servant,

RICHARD STOREY.

The Chairman, General Prisons Board,
Dublin Castle.

MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.

H. M. Prison, Downpatrick,
2nd May, 1889.

Medical
Officer's
Report.

SIR,—I have to report that the sanitary state of this prison continues to be satisfactory.

There has been no case of zymotic disease during the past year.

No prisoners have been transferred to either the invalid convict prison or to the Criminal Lunatic asylum.

Your obedient servant,

JOHN K. MACONCHY.

The Chairman, General Prisons Board,
Dublin Castle.

GRANGEGORMAN FEMALE CONVICT PRISON.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

Her Majesty's Prison,
Grangegorman, May 18th, 1889.

GRANGEGORMAN
FEMALE
CONVICT
PRISON.

Superintendent's
Report.

SIR,—I have the honour to submit my annual report of the Female Convict Prison, for the year ending March 31, 1889.

The number of convicts in custody on that date was 41.

There were 12 received into the prison during the year. Of these 7 were on revoked licences, only 5 having received fresh sentences.

The conduct of the prisoners through the year has been, on the whole, good, especially so for the last six months. The prisoners in association are as formerly employed in laundry and kitchen. They attend school and appear to profit by the instruction they receive there, and take a great interest in self-improvement. The other classes are taught in their cells. The teachers are most satisfactory in the discharge of their duties.

GRANGEGORMAN
FEMALE
CONVICT
PRISON.

Superintendent's
Report.

Sisters of Charity and a Protestant lady visitor visit and instruct the prisoners of their respective denominations. These visits are a great boon to them.

I can speak with much satisfaction of the officers of the staff. They are most attentive to their duties, and give me willing and ready assistance in the maintenance of discipline.

The usual statistical returns are attached.

I certify that to the best of my belief the rules laid down for the government of the prison have been carried out, except in cases that I have reported to the General Prisons Board or dealt with according to rule.

I have the honour to be, sir,

Your obedient servant,

ELIZA ROTHER, Superintendent.

The Chairman, General Prisons Board,
Dublin Castle.

SCHOOL.

Number of days on which prisoners were taught,	-	504
Average on rolls for the year,	-	43
Average daily attendance,	-	29
Newly admitted,	-	4

Those received during the year were examined on reception, and classified as under:—

First Book, wholly illiterate,	-	2
Able to read badly,	-	1
„ fairly,	-	1
Total,	-	4

The annexed table shows the advances in the several classes:—

Advanced during the year:—

From First to Second Book,	-	5
„ Second to Third „	-	4
„ Third to Fourth „	-	6
Learned to write,	-	5
„ to make figures,	-	8
Advanced from Simple Addition to Simple Subtraction,	-	7
„ to Compound Rules,	-	6

Protestant
Episco-
palian
Chaplain's
Report.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPALIAN CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

Grangegorman Convict Prison,

June 19th, 1889.

SIR,—I beg to lay before your Board my Report as Chaplain to H.M. Prison, for the year ending March 31, 1889.

There were at that date three convicts remaining under my charge. All are well-conducted and attentive to religious ministrations.

During the year three convicts were transferred on licence to the *Shelter for Discharged Prisoners*. Of these, I regret to say, two have

died. One rapidly declined in health and was sent back to the prison in a critical state, where she succumbed to a general failure of constitution on January 22nd. The other has since died at the "Shelter" after a brief illness. In both cases I believe that everything was done for the relief and comfort of the patients both by officers and matrons in charge, and both women evinced gratitude for the care and kindness bestowed on them.

GRANGEGORMAN
FEMALE
JUVENILE
PRISON.

I am, your obedient servant,

HENRY HOGAN, R.D., Chaplain.

The Chairman of the General Prisons Board.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

Grangegorman Prison,
June 12th, 1889.

Roman
Catholic
Chaplain's
Report.

SIR,—In furnishing my report for the year ended March 31st. I shall merely allude to the penal servitude prisoners by noticing the gratifying fact that such prisoners are steadily decreasing in number.

I must, however, call attention to the crowded state of this prison during the summer months of last year.

Notwithstanding the success that has attended the efforts of the Prisoners' Aid Society, I find an increase of nearly 3,000 commitments as compared with the year 1884-5.

In order to devise a remedy for such a disgraceful state of things, I would venture to suggest that Government be asked to appoint a Committee to learn the views of experienced and intelligent prison and police officers who are in almost daily contact with the prison population. I think there will be found a general consensus of opinion that repeated short sentences of imprisonment have no effect for good on habitual offenders.

I have the honour to be, sir,

Your obedient servant,

T. ANDERSON, Roman Catholic Chaplain.

PRESBYTERIAN CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

Grangegorman Government Prison,
June 14, 1889.

Presby-
terian
Chaplain's
Report.

SIR,—I have only to report that I have had but one convict of my denomination during the year ending March 31st.

I have attended all the appointed times for my visitations, and have regularly conducted Sabbath Services.

The capitulation principle does not equitably apply to Presbyterian religious services, as the same services must be given to one as to one hundred. I am glad, however, that but few of our people are ever in this prison.

I am, sir,

Your obedient servant,

S. G. MORRISON, Presbyterian Chaplain.

The Chairman, General Prisons Board,
Dublin Castle.

GRANGEGORMAN
FEMALE
CONVICT
PRISON.

MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.

Grangegorman Convict Prison,
6th June, 1889.

Medical
Officer's
Report.

SIR,—In submitting the annual statement I have to report that the general sanitary condition continues to be satisfactory.

One convict died.

The daily average of sick in hospital is very small.

I have the honour to be, sir,

Your obedient servant,

H. MURCHIN.

The Chairman, General Prisons Board,
Dublin Castle.

3.—MARYBOROUGH PRISON,

MARY-
BOROUGH
MALE
CONVICT
PRISON.

FOR INVALIDS AND INTERMEDIATE CLASS CONVICTS.

GOVERNOR'S REPORT.

Her Majesty's Prison, Maryborough,
6th April, 1889.

Governor's
Report.

SIR,—I have the honour to submit my report, accompanied by the usual statistical returns for the year ended 31st March, 1889.

The conduct of the subordinate officers has been very satisfactory, and their duties have been, on the whole, efficiently performed.

The intermediate class prisoners, twenty-nine of whom were received during the year, were employed in building wardens' cottages and cultivating the land outside the prison; they continue to work with great satisfaction; their conduct has been very good, only one having been removed to Mountjoy Prison for misconduct.

There were in confinement in the beginning of the year seventy-two convicts. Forty-three were discharged on licence, one on expiration of sentence, one transferred to Mountjoy Prison, three to Dundrum Criminal Lunatic Asylum (these men were mentally deranged on their reception here), and one died during the year, making a total on the 31st March, 1889, of sixty-seven.

Some slight alterations have been made inside the prison. Outside the prison four cottages have been built, roofed, and elated. The entire joinery work of these cottages has been made at this prison, and the land has been cultivated by prison labour.

Tailoring, shoemaking, repairing clothes, chopping wood, breaking stones, and pumping water continue to occupy the invalid class.

The water arrangements are very satisfactory, and there is now an abundance of water in the prison.

During the past year there were fifty-nine untried prisoners transferred to this prison from other prisons for trial at the Spring, Summer, and Winter Assizes held in this town.

The usual Sunday and weekly services have been regularly performed by the respective chaplains.

Morning and evening school have been carried on daily by the schoolmaster. Some of the prisoners have made much progress in their studies, and show a great desire to learn.

There have been no escapes or attempts at escape nor suicides. One death has occurred in the hospital during the year.

The medical officers have been most regular and attentive to the sick.

The rules laid down for the government of the prison were complied with in every respect to the best of my belief and knowledge, except in such cases as have been brought under the notice of the Board.

The Visiting Committee visited the prison on the 11th April, 1888, 9th May, 13th June, 8th August, 12th September, 10th October, 14th November, 13th December, 9th January, and 14th March.

I have the honour to be, sir,

Your obedient servant,

ARTH. C. BULKELEY, Governor.

To the Chairman, General Prisons Board,
Dublin Castle.

MARY-
BOROUGH
MALE
CONVICT
PRISON.

Governor's
Report

PROTESTANT EPISCOPALIAN CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

The Rectory, Maryborough,
6th April, 1889.

Protestant
Episcopa-
lian
Chaplain's
Report.

SIR,—I have not anything special to report in connexion with the discharge of my duties as Chaplain of Maryborough Convict Prison, during the past year. The prisoners who attended the Services conducted by me, were at all times quiet and apparently attentive, while the intern officers gave me every assistance in their power in the discharge of my duties.

I have the honour to be, sir,

Your obedient servant,

EDWD. L. EVES.

The Chairman, General Prisons Board.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

Maryborough, April 6th, 1889.

Roman
Catholic
Chaplain's
Report.

DEAR SIR,—There is nothing particular, I think, to remark about our Maryborough Prison during the past year. Considering the class of convicts we have, I think their conduct on the whole is very satisfactory. Their demeanour during the time of public service is everything that could be desired, and a good number of them approach the Holy Sacraments every week. I shall continue to advocate the acquisition of some land adjoining the prison. It would afford healthy exercise for the prisoners. The Governor and other officials of the prison are civil and courteous, and in every way facilitate the duties of the Chaplains.

I have the honour to remain,

Yours faithfully,

A. PRELAN, P.P.

The Chairman,
General Prisons Board, Dublin Castle.

MARY-
BOROUGH
MALE
CONVICT
PRISON.

MEDICAL OFFICERS' REPORT.

Maryborough Convict Prison,

April 1st, 1889.

Medical
Officers'
Report.

SIR,—We have the honour to submit the annual report and medical statistics bearing on the health of the prison staff and convicts and general sanitary condition of Maryborough Prison, for the year ended 31st March, 1889.

There were twenty-three of the prison staff treated for ordinary ailments, two of whom were admitted into the prison hospital, thirteen prescribed for in quarters, and eight at their own homes.

The annexed table shows the number of cases of convicts treated on the hospital list, among that number two were affected with disease of the lungs, three of heart disease, two of disease of the blood vessels, leading from centre of circulation, and three of insanity, as well as many others subject to the infirmities of old age, chiefly bronchitis and rheumatism, one case of pleuro-pneumonia, with many more less serious affections.

Three convicts were transferred to Dundrum Criminal Lunatic Asylum, these men were mentally unsound on their reception here; after due observation and treatment, they having evinced no indication of recovery, it was found necessary to report each case to the Prisons Board, with the view of their being sent to an asylum for their more suitable management, one convict was released by the Executive Government on medical recommendation, this man, far advanced in years, became despondent to such an aggravated extent under imprisonment, that it was considered fraught with danger to his life to detain him longer in confinement.

One convict died of bronchitis, he was the subject of this disease for many years, and it finally proved fatal.

In the month of June some of the warders' children in the vicinity of the prison, one child at his own home, one in cottage and four at prison gate quarters, were attacked with scarlet fever, the four latter children, in consequence of their being in the approach and proximity of prisoners, were removed to the Fever Hospital adjoining Queen's County Infirmary, for treatment. On investigating the cause of this infectious disease, we found that it was contracted at a public school in the town, where this infection prevailed at the time, and that it did not arise from any unsanitary state of their respective dwellings.

The water of the deep new well after satisfactory analysis, has been introduced for general use in the prison.

A cursory glance at the mortality table has given us reason to be grateful, considering the many grave diseases presented for treatment during the year.

The Governor has, as ever, shown his zeal, ability, and fidelity in the interest of the sick.

We have the honour to be, sir,

&c., &c., &c.,

MAURICE O'CONNELL, Resident Medical Officer.

DAVID JACOB, M.D., Consulting and Visiting Physician.

To the Chairman, &c., &c.

MOUNTJOY CONVICT PRISON.

GOVERNOR'S REPORT.

MOUNTJOY
CONVICT
PRISON.Governor's
Report.Mountjoy Prison,
May, 1889.

SIR,—I have the honour to submit my report for the year ended 31st March, 1889, on the convict portion of Mountjoy Prison.

The conduct of the subordinate officers has been in general very good ; serious cases of neglect, or breach of rules, have been few ; one officer was required to retire from the service, and three were reduced to the local service, and removed to other prisons. The chief and principal warders performed their duties with zeal and intelligence, and the attention and judicious action of the Deputy Governor have been all that I could desire.

The conduct of the convicts has been generally good, and consequently the punishments for prison offences have been comparatively few and light ; one case of assault on warders only occurred, and that assault, which was not of a serious nature, was committed by a convict whose sentence expired on the following day ; he was prosecuted for it at the police court, and sentenced to two months imprisonment, with hard labour. There was no case of corporal punishment during the year, nor was there any attempt to escape.

The convicts were employed during the year in the erection of houses outside the prison for married officers, in the erection of a general store on a convenient site between the convict and the local prisons, and other necessary building works, in the maintenance and repair of existing buildings, in the manufacture of uniform and boots for the subordinate officers of the Irish prison service generally, in the manufacture of clothing and shoes for the greater part of the prisoners in Ireland, in baking bread for all the Dublin prisons, in the manufacture of firelights, baskets, matting, mats, hearth-rugs, and other articles for public departments, and for sale to the public ; ample employment was thus available. The convicts worked well and diligently, and a due amount of labour was exacted from all.

The Chaplains have been regular and frequent in their attendance, and have devoted much time to their prison duties.

The two schoolmasters attached to the convict prison have zealously and diligently performed their duties. Many convicts who were illiterate, or almost so, on entering prison have been taught reading, writing, some arithmetic, &c. The teachers are engaged each week-day from 9 A.M. to 1 P.M., instructing the probationers in their cells, and, after working hours, such of the associated convicts as are not fairly educated for persons in their station in life, are taught in classes, in two schools, for an hour each week-evening. All the convicts are supplied with the necessary school-books in their cells, and one schoolmaster attends daily, during the dinner hour, and issues books from the prison library to such of the convicts as are capable of reading them, and understanding their contents. The library is much appreciated by the convicts, and the supply of books is replenished annually. The books, as they become worn, or damaged from frequent use, are repaired and re-bound in the prison at a trifling cost. The attendance at school of the convicts who are unable to read, write, &c., is compulsory, unless specially exempted for some physical or other reason ; those who are considered sufficiently educated are not required to attend school, but any desirous of attending have been invariably permitted to do so.

MOUNTJOY CONVICT PRISON.
Governor's Report. I certify that the rules laid down for the government of the prison have, to the best of my belief, been adhered to, except in such instances as were brought to the notice of the General Prisons Board, or otherwise dealt with in an authorized manner.

I have the honour to be, sir,

Your most obedient servant,

GEO. SHEEHAN, Governor.

The Chairman,
 General Prisons Board.

*Protestant
 Chaplain's
 Report.*

PROTESTANT CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

Since last report I have endeavoured to make myself personally acquainted with those under my care, and to acquire over them an influence for good. Visiting them at stated times in their cells, with a view to knowing their antecedents, and so discovering the cause or causes of imprisonment, among which I found bad company, Sabbath-breaking, and intemperance. At the week-day services in the church I have adopted—as calculated to kindle interest in the subject—a course of connected and methodical religious instruction, and I can testify as regards the attentive and reverential demeanour of the prisoners both then and during public worship on Sundays.

Sickness, in or out of prison, is a season of solemn self-examination and repentance, and my humble effort, under I trust Higher help, has been to bring home to the hearts of the patients in gaol the lesson of the double calamity of incarceration and illness concurrently. The fine hospital itself, and its admirable management, I can observe—after lengthened experience in the visitation of the sick—cannot but be a considerable assistance to a clergyman's work at the bedside of the convicts in the infirmary.

In general the ready co-operation of the officers and the careful administration of discipline in the prison have afforded me facilities—for which I desire to express myself grateful—in the discharge of responsible duties.

Signed,

JOHN H. MACMAHON (Clk.), M.A., LL.D.

June 5th, 1889.

*Roman
 Catholic
 Chaplain's
 Report.*

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPLAINS' REPORT.

Mountjoy Prison,

June, 1889.

SIR,—In submitting our report for the year ended March, 1889, we beg to make known to the Board the satisfactory condition of a large majority of the Roman Catholic prisoners from a religious and moral point of view. Large numbers of them availed themselves of the ample opportunities afforded them of practising their religion; and their conduct, generally, was good.

The discipline carried out in this prison—in so far as it affects the religious and moral condition of the convicts—wants nothing to make it

a conspicuous success, except a more exhaustive classification of the prisoners with a view to diminishing, as far as possible, the danger of contamination.

In the existing arrangement a selection is made from those who were never in prison before—to form a special and isolated class. All the rest, speaking generally, form one class, that is to say, those who were never in prison before, but who are not deemed fit by the Prisons Board for the special class; and also those who have been committed to prison once or twice for trivial offences, but who could not in any true sense of the word be called habitual criminals, have to associate with the incorrigible, to the standing peril of their religious and moral well-being. No vigilance on the part of the officers could prevent the corrupting influence which a score or more of depraved habitual criminals exercise, particularly, over their younger associates.

We would respectfully suggest as a remedy for this state of things, that these men be formed into a distinct class and sent to one of the many vacant prisons now available—through the country—for the purpose. This cannot be said to be an impracticable scheme, inasmuch as a like scheme has been given effect to, in the establishment at Downpatrick of a prison for certain classes of convicts.

In conclusion, we beg to tender our acknowledgments of the invariable kindness which we have experienced at the hands of the Governor and of the other officers of the prison.

We have the honour to be, sir,

Your obedient servants,

MICHAEL WALSH, R.U.C.

TERENCE O'DONNELL, A.R.U.C.

The Chairman, General Prisons Board.

PRESBYTERIAN CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

Mountjoy Government Prison,
March, 1889.

Presbyterian
Chaplain's
Report.

SIR,—In looking over my journal, I find nothing to report of an exceptional character. I have had no unfavourable report of any convict under my ministerial supervision. Indeed, the attention paid to my instructions would favourably compare with that of the average number of religious assemblies. Facts warrant me to believe that the instructions of the past year have not been fruitless.

All the duties of the Sabbath, and the exercises of the working days have been duly discharged.

Every facility has been at my disposal, by which I have been enabled to attend to my work.

From the attentive and esteemed Governor down to all the warders and officers, I have received help without which I could not have efficiently and satisfactorily performed my responsible and important duties.

I am, sir, your faithful servant,

S. G. MORRISON, Presbyterian Chaplain.

The Chairman, Government Prisons Board,
Dublin Castle.

Mountjoy
Convict
Prison.

Medical
Officer's
Report.

MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.

Mountjoy Prison,
17th April, 1889.

SIR,—I have the honour to submit the Annual Sanitary Report and Medical Statistics of this prison for the year ended 31st March last.

There were 24 warders treated in hospital during the year, chiefly for catarrhal, febrile, and rheumatic affections. There was no death.

During the year there were 125 convicts admitted into the hospital for the diseases specified in the medical statistical table. There was no death; nor was there any attempt at suicide.

It is gratifying to be able to state that during the year no epidemic appeared, and no case of zymotic disease occurred within the prison—strong evidence that the sanitary state of the prison is most satisfactory. In my last annual report I called attention to the fact, that there were four different dietaries—all, in my opinion, defective—in use in this prison, for prisoners placed under almost similar circumstances, as to labour and confinement; and that I had submitted, as a substitute for the four, a scale of dietary which, if adopted, would be more simple to cook, far more varied and nutritious, and better suited for convicts than the existing dietaries.

The clothing and bedding of the prisoners is ample and comfortable. The prison has been kept clean, well ventilated and heated, and, in a sanitary point of view, there is nothing to be desired.

I have the honour to be, sir,

Your most obedient servant,

P. O'KEEFE, M.D., Medical Officer

The Chairman, General Prisons Board,
Dublin Castle.

TABLE XXV.—Number of Convicts under Government in Convict Prisons, and Disposal of same, &c., during the Year ended 31st March, 1888.

	Dorchester.	Quincy.	Malden.		Mentley.	Total.	
			Female.	Male.			
In confinement at the commencement of the year,	8.	8.	8.	8.	8.	8.	8.
Transferred from other County Prisons,	10	11	10	10	10	10	10
from Local Prisons,	—	1	1	—	1	1	1
from Military Hospitals,	—	—	—	—	1	1	—
brought from Reformatory Asylums,	—	—	—	—	2	2	—
Refugees,	—	1	—	—	—	—	1
under sentence of Judicial Election,	—	1	—	—	1	1	1
Total,	18	22	21	20	21	21	21
Removed to other County Prisons,	—	—	—	1	1	1	—
Reformatory Asylums,	—	1	1	—	1	1	1
Discharged in the year, viz. —							
On completion of sentence,	—	1	1	—	1	1	1
On expiration of sentence,	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
On license,	1	10	1	1	1	1	1
Dead,	—	1	1	—	—	1	1
Total disposed of during the year,	1	12	3	1	1	1	1
remaining in custody at end of year,	17	10	18	19	20	20	20
Total,	18	22	21	20	21	21	21
Daily average number of Convicts,	55	60	60	60	60	60	60

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TABLE XXVI.—NUMBER of CONVICTS in each of the CONVICT PRISONS and in each detached party of CONVICTS working in a LOCAL PRISON on the First Day in each Month of the Years 1887-8, and 1888-9.

PRISONS.	1887.									1888.		
	1st April.	1st May.	1st June.	1st July.	1st Aug.	1st Sept.	1st Oct.	1st Nov.	1st Dec.	1st Jan.	1st Feb.	1st March.
Downpatrick, .	45	43	43	43	43	42	41	41	41	41	38	38
Maryborough—												
Invalids, .	37	35	35	35	35	35	33	37	35	35	35	35
Intermediate,	14	13	17	13	23	20	23	23	21	23	21	18
Others, . .	2	2	4	3	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mountjoy, . .	418	427	414	403	399	361	330	303	287	299	413	405
Cork M. (Local),	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	2	2	3	2	3
Galway (do.),	7	7	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Males, .	549	559	544	530	533	513	504	468	467	480	551	519
Grangegorman,	41	50	36	34	33	34	33	32	31	31	33	32
Total M. & F.,	590	610	580	564	566	547	537	500	498	511	584	551

PRISONS.	1888.									1889.		
	1st April.	1st May.	1st June.	1st July.	1st Aug.	1st Sept.	1st Oct.	1st Nov.	1st Dec.	1st Jan.	1st Feb.	1st March.
Downpatrick, .	38	38	45	45	43	40	39	35	35	33	37	37
Maryborough—												
Invalids, .	34	33	33	33	32	33	33	35	33	33	33	33
Intermediate,	13	17	15	17	16	15	15	17	13	13	13	13
Mountjoy, . .	285	403	388	373	351	370	363	363	368	398	384	344
Cork M. (Local),	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Males, .	360	511	496	490	480	481	471	473	467	469	468	447
Grangegorman,	31	32	33	33	30	29	28	28	28	23	23	21
Total M. & F.,	391	543	529	523	510	510	499	501	495	492	491	468

TABLE XXVII.—PARTICULARS of CONVICTS who died in CONVICT PRISONS during the Year ended 31st March, 1889.

Prison.	Sex.	Details of Prisoner.	Age at Death.	Date of Reception into a Convict Prison.	Date of Death.	Cause of Death.	Other.	Whether Prisoner employed before or after Reception into the Prison.	General Health on Reception into a Convict Prison.	Number of former Convicts.	Former Occupations.
Downpatrick.	M.	F. H.	37	12 Oct. '86	22 Jan. '89.	Inflammation of the bowels.	Lamby from the prison and previous occupation the fishing.	Absent.	Good.	Three.	Freestone.
Maytown.	M.	F. H.	36	1 July, '86.	4 May. '88.	Smallpox.	Handwriting.	Before.	Not known.	20.	Labourer.

TABLE XXVIII.—PARTICULARS of CONVICTS released on MEDICAL CERTIFICATE during Year ended 31st March, 1889.

[See Paragraph 134 of Report of Royal Commission, 1884.]

Prison.	Sex.	Initials of Convict.	Date of Reception into Convict Prison.	Other.	Prison.	Date of Release.	Disease on account of which released (as stated by Medical Officer).	Whether Prisoner employed before or after Reception into Convict Prison.
Downpatrick.	M.	H. E.	2 May. '86.	Swelling from the penis.	7 Years F. H.	21 Feb. '88.	Attack of Malaria.	Before.
"	M.	H. E.	1 March, '86.	Lamby and previous occupation.	7 Years F. H.	1 March, '88.	Chronic rheumatism.	Before.
Maytown.	M.	H. E.	14 June, '86.	Handwriting.	12 Years F. H.	1 March, '88.	Consumption.	Absent.
Maytown.	M.	H. E.	6 March, '87.	Swelling etc.	7 Years F. H. accompanied with penis etc.	20 Nov. '88.	Weak and venereal sores.	Before.
"	M.	G. G.	10 Jan. '88.	Windsor affluents.	7 Years F. H.	11 March, '88	Chronic pleurisy.	Absent.

TABLE XXIX.—Showing the Average Daily Per-centage of Sick and the Annual Per-centage of Deaths on the Average Daily Population in Irish Convict Prisons during each Year since 1854.

Prisons.	1856.		1857.		1858.		1859.		1860.		1861.		1862.		1863.		1864.		1865.	
	Daily Per-centage of Sick.	Annual Per-centage of Deaths.	Daily Per-centage of Sick.	Annual Per-centage of Deaths.	Daily Per-centage of Sick.	Annual Per-centage of Deaths.	Daily Per-centage of Sick.	Annual Per-centage of Deaths.	Daily Per-centage of Sick.	Annual Per-centage of Deaths.	Daily Per-centage of Sick.	Annual Per-centage of Deaths.	Daily Per-centage of Sick.	Annual Per-centage of Deaths.	Daily Per-centage of Sick.	Annual Per-centage of Deaths.	Daily Per-centage of Sick.	Annual Per-centage of Deaths.	Daily Per-centage of Sick.	Annual Per-centage of Deaths.
Belmullet Island and Phillipstown.	12.1	18.3	12.4	37	4.3	2.1	3	2.3	4	1.4	3.1	3	3.4	4	3.3	3	1.4	1.3	—	—
Ardee Island.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.4	1.3
Cork and Greenisland.	7.9	1.4	7.8	1.3	8.4	1.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cork, Greenisland, and Youghall.	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Down Prison.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.3	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mountjoy Female.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	4	4	3.4	4	1.3	3.4	3.4	3.3	4
Newgate and Smithfield.	4.3	3.3	12.1	7.3	17.3	3.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Smithfield and Lamb.	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.3	3.3	4.1	3.3	3	—	3.4	—	4.3	1.3	3	—	3.3	—
Mountjoy.	4.7	3	3.7	3	3.3	7	4.4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mountjoy Male.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.7	3	3.4	3	4.3	4	3.3	1.3	3.3	1.3	4.3	1.3
Total.	12.1	8	12.3	27	4.3	1.3	3.1	1.3	4.3	1.3	3.4	3	3.4	4	3.3	3	4	1.3	3.3	1.3

—	1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1899.		1900.		1901.		1902.		1903.	
Splice Island, . . .	4	7	4	14	14	24	14	18	17	14	17	4	20	4	14	4	14	14	17	14	17	14
Messajoy Female, . .	4	2	27	4	44	1	24	7	24	14	24	17	24	17	24	14	44	14	44	14	44	14
Ballinabally and Lark, .	4	2	47	14	24	—	27	—	2	—	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lark,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	14	4	—	4	—	4	—	—	—
Messajoy Male, . . .	24	24	24	4	24	24	2	4	14	4	2	4	4	—	24	7	24	—	24	4	—	—
Total,	24	17	24	14	24	14	24	4	24	14	4	4	24	7	24	4	24	14	24	14	24	14
—	1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.		1899-00.		1900-01.		1901-02.		1902-03.		1903-04.		1904-05.	
Splice Island, . . .	14	1	2	1	14	4	24	14	24	1	44	14	24	4	24	1	44	14	—	—	—	—
Messajoy Female, . .	44	1	44	17	44	1	24	14	24	4	44	14	24	24	24	4	14	14	—	—	—	—
Conspicuous Female, .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	—	—	—
Lark,	14	—	14	—	7	—	4	—	4	—	14	—	4	—	14	—	2	—	4	—	—	—
Messajoy Male, . . .	24	4	44	4	44	4	47	14	24	14	2	—	14	—	14	1	14	4	14	4	—	—
Maryborough (Male Arrested),	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	44	14	—	—
Total,	24	4	2	14	27	4	24	14	24	14	24	4	24	4	24	7	24	7	44	4	—	—

• Maryborough Prison was closed on 31st March, 1895.
 † Splice Island Prison was closed in July, 1895.

‡ Ballinabally Prison was closed on 14th June, 1899.
 § Messajoy Female Prison was closed in June, 1901.

TABLE XXIX.—Showing the Average DAILY Percentage of SICK and the ANNUAL Percentage of DEATHS on the Average Daily Population in Irish Convict Prisons during each Year since 1854—continued.

Prisons.	1860-61.		1861-62.		1862-63.		1863-64.		1864-65.	
	Daily Percentage of Sick.	Annual Percentage of Deaths.	Daily Percentage of Sick.	Annual Percentage of Deaths.	Daily Percentage of Sick.	Annual Percentage of Deaths.	Daily Percentage of Sick.	Annual Percentage of Deaths.	Daily Percentage of Sick.	Annual Percentage of Deaths.
Downpatrick Male,	2 ^o	—	1 ^o	—	2 ^o	—	1 ^o	—	2 ^o	—
Leam Male*	4 ^o	—	4 ^o	—	4 ^o	—	—	—	—	—
Maygaragh Male—Female, .	20 ^o	60	20 ^o	24	28 ^o	24	70 ^o	12	28 ^o	14
“ “ Other Counties, . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	—	—	—
Glenties Female,	14 ^o	14	14 ^o	9 ^o	20 ^o	14	24	—	2 ^o	2 ^o
Meeragh Male,	2 ^o	1	1 ^o	0	12 ^o	7	14	4	2 ^o	—
Total,	40	4	40	4	74	2 ^o	144	4	20 ^o	10

* Leam Prison was closed on 24th December, 1865.

TABLE XXX.—MEDICAL STATISTICS of CONVICTS during the year ended 31st March, 1889.

	Downpatrick.	Gallesburgh.	Maryborough.		Mallow.	Total.	
			Insalida.	Insalid- dies.			
Remaining in Hospital on 1st April, 1888.	M. 8	F. 17	M. 23	M. 8	M. 7	M. 47	F. 3
Admitted to Hospital during year.	8	17	23	8	156	188	17
Total.	8	20	63	8	162	206	20
Discharged to their Classes.	6	16	26	4	109	160	16
Discharged from Prison on Medical grounds.	-	3	1	-	2	5	3
Removed to Asylum.	-	-	-	-	4	4	-
Removed to Invalid Prison.	-	-	-	-	11	11	-
Died.	-	1	1	-	1	1	1
Remaining in Hospital on 31st March, 1889.	-	1	40	1	8	47	1
Total.	6	20	63	8	123	206	20
Daily Average Number in Hospital.	1	24	40	3	11	814	24
Number of External Patients during year.	1,080	387	887	367	7,424	8,438	367
Daily Average Number of External Patients.	8	1	14	1	204	26	1
Number of cases of each Disease treated in Hospital during year, viz.: of—							
Abscess.	-	1	1	-	7	8	1
Ague and Debility.	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Aneurism.	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Biliousness.	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Bronchitis.	-	-	11	-	15	36	-
Burns.	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Chest Affection.	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Cholera.	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Chorea.	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Oclic.	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Contusions.	-	-	-	-	8	6	-
Conjunctivitis.	-	-	-	-	4	4	-
Constipation.	-	-	-	-	4	4	-
Debility, &c.	-	-	2	-	1	1	-
Diarrhoea.	-	-	2	-	11	19	-
Dysentery.	-	2	2	-	4	7	-
Dyspepsia.	2	-	5	-	3	10	2
Eccentricity and Despondency.	-	-	6	-	-	6	-
Eczema.	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Elephantiasis.	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Epilepsy.	-	-	1	-	1	1	-
Eruption, Pustular.	-	-	1	-	1	1	-
Excoriation.	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Faintness.	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
Febile Complaints.	-	-	-	-	22	22	-
Fingered Fingers.	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Gastric Attack.	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Hæmorrhoids.	-	-	1	-	6	7	-
Hæmoptoe.	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Herula.	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Herpes.	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
Influenza.	-	-	4	-	-	4	-
Incontinence.	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Lumbago.	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Luxation and Wound.	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Morbus Cordis.	-	-	2	-	1	4	-
Observation.	-	-	-	-	11	11	-
Otorrhoea.	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Orethra.	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Pains.	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
Palpitation.	-	1	-	-	1	1	1
Paralysis (paraplegia).	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Pleurisy.	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Pneumonia.	-	-	1	-	1	1	-
Pharyngitis.	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Prolapsus Ani.	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Pulmonary Consumption.	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Pyrexia.	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Retention of Urine.	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Rheumatism.	1	-	10	-	-	11	-
Scrofula.	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Tonsillitis.	-	-	-	-	7	7	-
Furuncul.	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Ulcers.	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Wounds.	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Total.	6	17	67	8	123	206	20

TABLE XXXI.—PARTICULARS of each case of INSANITY
[See Paragraph 136 of Report of

PRISON.	Sex.	Initials of name.	Age. Yrs.	Crime.	Sentence.	Dates		Mental Condition	
						Of Com-mittal.	Of transfer to Prison named in first Column.	On Com-mittal.	On transfer to Prison named in first Column.
Grange-gorman,	F.	J. B.	48	Larceny from the person.	3 years P. S.	19.4.88	1.5.88	-	Eccentric.
"	F.	M. F.	31	Manslaughter.	3 "	12.4.88	18.4.88	-	Doubtful.
"	F.	M. S.	33	Malevolent injury.	3 "	11.1.89	26.1.89	-	Unsound.
Mary-berough,	M.	T. Q.	24	Manslaughter.	16 years P. S.	29.10.88	1.2.89	Good.	Weak.
"	M.	T. M.	48	Attempted Arson.	7 "	30.7.88	1.8.87	Not known.	Affected with delusion.
"	M.	T. D. alias G.	42	Larceny.	5 "	26.6.88	7.12.88	Weak.	Weak.
Mounijoy,	M.	J. B.	43	Arson.	3 years P. S.	3.11.87	23.12.87	Not known.	Fair.
"	M.	J. G.	19	Assault.	5 "	18.11.87	18.1.88	do.	do.
"	M.	J. A.	22	Breaking out of shop after committing felony therein.	5 "	16.11.87	9.12.87	Reported good.	Good.
"	M.	M. H.	24	I. Assaulting dwelling-house. II. Breaking into dwelling-house. III. Unlawful assembly by night. IV. Conspiracy to murder.	7 "	8.10.87	16.12.87	do.	do.

(amongst Convicts) in Year ended 31st March, 1883.
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Whether previously Insane.	Length of imprisonment previous to first symptoms of Insanity (in cases originating in Prison named in first Col.)	Form of Insanity.	Education.	Occupation previous to Conviction.	Termination of Case.				
					Recovered in Prison named in first Col.	Removed to Asylum or another Prison.	Name of Asylum or Prison and date of removal.	Died.	Remaining in Prison named in first Col.
Not known.	3 months.	Mania.	Illiterate.	Prostitute.	-	Asylum.	Dundrum 29. 8. 82	-	-
do.	6 months.	do.	R. & W.	None.	-	do.	do. 13. 2. 83	-	-
Yes.	-	Recurrent mania.	do.	Prostitute.	-	do.	do. 13. 2. 83	-	-
Not known.	Transferred from Mountjoy Prison as a Mental invalid.	Religious melancholia.	Read.	Labourer.	-	Asylum.	Dundrum 11. 4. 82	-	-
do.	do.	Delusionary mania	R. & W.	do.	-	do.	do. 23. 7. 83	-	-
-	Found insane on arrival.	Mania.	-	do.	-	do.	do. 20. 12. 82	-	-
Yes.	About 11 months.	Melancholia.	R. & W.	Clerk and book-keeper.	-	Asylum.	Dundrum 13. 12. 82	-	-
No record.	8 months.	Mania.	Illiterate.	Labourer.	-	do.	do. 31. 1. 83	-	-
do.	13 months.	Melancholia.	R. & W.	do.	-	do.	do. 1. 2. 83	-	-
do.	3 months.	Mania.	R. & W.	do.	-	do.	do. 12. 2. 83	-	-

TABLE XXXII.—Number of Reported Previous Inmate-ments of the Offenders in Custody on the 31st March, 1889, and of those newly committed during the year.

Prison.	Not reported or having been in Prison before.	Reported to have been in Prison before.																				Total.
		Once.	Twice.	3 Times.	4 Times.	5 Times.	6 Times.	7 Times.	8 Times.	9 Times.	10 Times.	11 Times.	12 Times.	13 Times.	14 Times.	15 Times.	16 Times.	17 Times.	18 Times.	19 Times.	20 Times or more.	
1. Dorchester,	16	0	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	20
Mar- borough, (Clerical, Clerical, Clerical)	24	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	30
Monmouth,	4	0	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	10
	104	0	3	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	11	105
Total Male,	104	0	3	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	11	105
Female,	16	1	1	4	0	0	-	0	0	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	7	40
Total Male & Female,	120	1	4	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	18	145
2. No. of Males who were committed under Order of the Court during the year ended 31st March, 1889,	20	4	4	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	1	0	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	4	30
No. of Females, do., do.,	0	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0

Number of Males in Custody on 31st March, 1889, who had been in a Gaol before, - - - 11 Males.

TABLE XXXIII.—CRIMES of CONVICTS in Custody on 31st March, 1889, and of those newly committed during the year.

CRIMES.	1.						2.	
	Downpatrick.	Grangegorman.	Maryborough.		Monaghan.	Total.	Number who were committed under fresh sentences during year ended 31st March, 1889.	
			Jail.	Intermediate.				
	M.	F.	M.	M.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Accessory after the fact to Murder,	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Administering Poison with intent,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Actual Bodily Harm,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Arson,	1	1	-	1	1	4	1	-
Assault with intent to Murder,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Assault,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Assault and Robbery,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Assaulting Dwelling-house,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Attempt to Murder,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Burglary,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Breaking into a Church and Felony,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Burglary,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Burglary and previous conviction,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Carnal knowledge of Girl under 16,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Cattle Stealing,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Conspiracy to Murder,	1	1	1	-	1	4	-	-
Demanding Money with menaces,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Embezzlement,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Felony,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Forgery,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Grievous Assault,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Highway Robbery,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Horse stealing,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Housebreaking,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Housebreaking Implements in possession,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Infanticide,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Larceny, &c.,	4	23	31	2	100	157	20	2
Maiming Cattle,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Making Base Coin,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Molestation Injury,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Manslaughter,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Murder,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Obtaining Money by False Pretences,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Rape,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Receiving,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Receiving Money and previous conviction,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Robbery,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Robbery with Violence,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Sheep stealing,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Shooting at and Wounding,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Shooting at with intent, &c.,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Subsequent Felony,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Supplying False Information to Registrar,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Unlawful Assembly and Affray,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Uttering Base Coin,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Uttering Forged Bank Notes,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Whiteboy Offence,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Wounding with Intent,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Wounding & grievous Bodily Harm,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Writing and Publishing a Threatening Notice,	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Totals,	37	41	87	13	387	462	68	2

TABLE XXXIV.—SENTENCES OF CONVICTS in Custody on 31st March, 1889, and of those newly committed during the year.

Prison.	5 years	8 years	7 years	5 years	10 years	12 years	14 years	15 years	18 years	20 years	25 years	30 years	Life.
1. Downpatrick,	8	—	4	—	11	—	—	1	—	7	—	—	0
Maryborough—													
Invalids,	17	—	11	—	10	—	1	4	—	4	—	—	10
Intermediate,	9	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mountjoy,	135	2	87	3	32	2	10	9	3	3	3	1	20
Total Males,	154	2	107	3	36	2	11	14	3	20	3	1	30
Grangegeorman Fem.,	17	—	13	1	1	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	3
Total M. and F.,	171	2	120	4	37	2	12	14	3	21	3	1	47
2. Number of Males who were committed under fresh sentences during the year ended 31st March, 1889,	26	—	20	—	5	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	4
No. of Females do.,	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—

TABLE XXXV.—AGES (on Conviction) of CONVICTS in Custody on 31st March, 1889, and of those newly committed during the year, also the Number MARRIED and UNMARRIED.

Prison.	15 and under 20 years.	20 and under 25 years.	25 and under 30 years.	30 and under 40 years.	40 and under 50 years.	50 and under 60 years.	60 and under 70 years.	70 and under 80 years.	80 and over.	Total.	Married.	Unmarried.
1. Downpatrick,	1	4	7	10	12	3	—	—	—	37	20	17
Maryborough—												
Invalids,	—	4	5	6	14	13	13	1	—	57	26	31
Intermediate,	1	5	1	4	1	—	—	—	—	12	3	9
Mountjoy,	33	80	60	90	40	19	5	1	—	337	98	239
Total Males,	41	103	64	50	27	25	21	2	—	443	148	295
Grangegeorman,	—	3	3	11	3	13	4	2	1	41	21	20
Total M. and F.,	41	106	67	61	30	38	25	4	1	484	169	315
2. No. of Males who were committed under fresh sentences during year ended 31st March, 1889,	2	14	15	10	10	3	—	1	—	65	13	52
No. of Fem., do.,	—	—	1	3	1	—	—	—	—	5	1	4

TABLE XXXVI.—RELIGIOUS PERSUASIONS of CONVICTS in Custody on 31st March, 1889, and of those newly committed during the year.

—	Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Presbyterians.	Other Persuasions.	Total.
1. Downpatrick,	—	27	—	—	27
Maryborough—					
Invalids,	3	50	2	2	57
Intermediate,	—	11	1	—	12
Mountjoy,	43	267	20	—	337
Total Males,	43	315	23	2	443
Grangegeorman,	4	36	1	—	41
Total M. and F.,	47	421	24	2	484
2. Number of Males who were committed under fresh sentences during the year ended 31st March, 1889,	7	57	3	1	68
Number of Females do.,	—	3	—	—	3

TABLE XXXVII.—PRISON OVERSEERS AND FURNITURE IN CORRECT PRISONS from 1st April, 1858, to the 31st March, 1859.

Prisons.	Prison Furnishings.								(a) Total number of Prisoners Furnished.		(b) Number of Prisoners not Furnished.		Total number of Prisoners during the year (Columns 9 and 10)		Prison Overseers.											
	Corporal Furnishings.		Furniture Costs.		Dietary Furnishings.		Depreciation of Stocks or Furniture.								Furniture.		Sergeants and Attendants on Receipts.		Masters.		Other Personnel of Prisons.		Total Officers.			
	£.	s.	£.	s.	£.	s.	£.	s.	£.	s.	£.	s.	£.	s.	£.	s.	£.	s.	£.	s.	£.	s.	£.	s.	£.	s.
Downpatrick,	—	—	2	—	10	—	15	—	10	—	12	—	10	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Downpatrick,	—	—	—	20	—	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Downpatrick (Jail),	—	—	2	—	—	—	10	—	10	—	12	—	11	—	4	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Do. (Jail),																										

TABLE XXXVIII.—Showing Cases in which MECHANICAL RESTRAINTS were used on Convicts during the year ended 31st March, 1893.
[See Paragraph 56 of Report of Royal Commission, 1894.]

Prison.	No.	Details of Prisoner.	Mode of Restraint.	Reason for placing Prisoner under Restraint, specifying whether in Hospital or otherwise.	Period during which Prisoner was under Restraint.	Number of		Remarks.
						Cases.	Length of periods.	
Dorchester.	B.	F. B.	Chained.	Assaulting an officer.	Oct.	1	1	
	B.	T. B.	do.	Assaulting a convict.	do.	1	1	
	B.	H. B. C.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	
Grangemouth.	B.	M. C.	Shackles.	Destroying prison property.	Oct.	1	1	
	B.	M. C.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	
	B.	M. C.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	
	B.	M. C.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	
	B.	M. C.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	
	B.	M. C.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	
	B.	M. C.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	
	B.	M. C.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	
	B.	M. C.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	
	B.	M. C.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	
Mackintosh.	B.	M. C.	Shackles.	Violence and breaking prison property.	Oct.	1	1	
	B.	M. C.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	
Newcastle.	B.	J. W.	Locking up.	Threatening to test his clothes.	Oct.	1	1	
	B.	J. W.	do.	Destroying prison property.	do.	1	1	
	B.	J. W.	do.	Insulting a convict.	do.	1	1	
	B.	J. W.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	
	B.	J. W.	Chained.	Assaulting officers.	do.	1	1	
	B.	J. W.	do.	Assaulting a fellow-prisoner.	do.	1	1	
	B.	J. W.	Locking up.	Threatening officers, and destroying prison property.	do.	1	1	
	B.	J. W.	do.	Destroying prison property.	do.	1	1	
	B.	J. W.	do.	Insulting a convict.	do.	1	1	
	B.	J. W.	do.	To prevent him injuring himself.	do.	1	1	
Newcastle.	B.	J. W.	do.	Threatening an officer.	do.	1	1	
	B.	J. W.	do.	Destroying prison property.	do.	1	1	
	B.	J. W.	do.	do. do.	do.	1	1	

TABLE XXXIX.—WORKS OF RECONSTRUCTION, REPAIRS, &c.

CONVICT PRISONS.

(A).—By Contract or other than Prison Labour.

PRISONS.	Detail of Works.
Downpatrick, . . .	Source of water-supply cleaned.
Maryborough, . . .	Large pumps, with hand and horse power machinery attached, erected in new well, and connected with tank; hot and cold water pipes in connection with baths in A and B prisons repaired, and the waste pipes from same baths altered; electric bells in prison repaired; hot water pipes in C prison repaired; cocks in kitchen and prison yards repaired; water supply extended to new cottages.

(B).—By Convict Labour.

Downpatrick, . . .	New padded cell fitted up; new bath-room fitted in hospital, with hot and cold water supply; roof of laundry pointed, and roof of Governor's house pointed and gutters repaired; laundry boiler repaired, and front of furnaces rebuilt; bath-room in Governor's house floored; all intern and extern lamps repaired; fifty-one bell handles altered in cells; pump repaired; shelving fitted up in stores; prison, Governor's office, chapel and school-room, inside of entrance gate, &c., and photograph house painted; one new window fixed in chapel.
Grangeorman, . . .	See Table XXI.
Maryborough, . . .	Built walls and roofed and slated four cottages for warders; circulating boiler in cookhouse reset; hot air engine repaired; alterations carried out in the water pipes; drain pipes laid for new cottages; general repairs to prison executed, including whitewashing, painting, &c.

TABLE XXXIX.—WORKS OF RECONSTRUCTION, REPAIRS, &c.—continued.

Prisons.	Detail of Works.
Mountjoy, . . .	Repairing and renewing gasfitting in local prison; painting and whitening cells and corridors of new hospital; cleaning, whitening, and painting central hall, corridors, and ceilings of convict prison; altering and renewing gas-main and branches; erecting workshops, and installing w.c.'s and urinals in front of local prison; removing gas meter and re-erecting on new site; new stores commenced; walls built, roof erected, and skirting commenced; putting new gasfittings, gas shields, &c., in penal cells of local prison; sanitary improvements carried out in connection with military guard room; roofs of both prisons repaired, including painting and glazing roof lights, &c.; cleaning, whitening, papering, and painting gate wardens' quarters, convict prison, and round wardens' cottages, and effecting various repairs in same; gateway opened, and iron gate fixed thereon for passage from local prison to hospital; fixing new tiles in two ovens of bakery, and relining four fire boxes; taking up old flooring of picket room, concreting under joists, and putting down new floor with cement skirting; the erection of wardens' cottages continued, and the second range commenced; some of the roads in convict prison which had been interfered with in the new buildings, reformed and completed.

TABLE XL.—SHOWING employment of Convicts and estimated value of their Earnings.

DOWNPATRICK CONVICT PRISON.

No. 1.—VALUE of the Labour of Convicts (as per measured work) for the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Work.	Daily Averages (working days).	No. of Days.		Rate per day earned (see Summary).	Amount.
				s. d.	£ s. d.
Manufactory, . . .	32'25	6,778	—	0 11'2	315 19 8
Farm and Garden, . . .	2'	636	—	1 4	40 10 8
Prison Buildings, . . .	6'283	1,505	—	1 0'8	117 2 6
	38'533	—	8,659	1 1'09	473 13 3
Prison employment, . . .	8'454	—	2,561	1 1'7	145 4 1
Totals, . . .	56'967	—	11,244	1 1'23	619 17 5
NON-EFFECTIVES.					
Sick, . . .	1'197	—	356	—	—
Under Punishment, . . .	'8	—	152	—	—
		Working days.		Average earnings.	
Grand Totals, . . .	58	x 204 =	11,780	1 0'65	616 17 8

TABLE XL.—SHOWING employment of Convicts and estimated value of their Earnings—*continued*.DOWNPATRICK CONVICT PRISON—*continued*.

No. 2.—SUMMARY of Earnings of the various Trades or Parties, year ended 31st March, 1889.

No. of Party.	Employment.	No. of Days.	Average Earnings per Convict per Day as measured and valued.		Amount.
	MANUFACTORY.		s.	d.	£ s. d.
-	Tailoring,	2,015	1	4	154 6 8
-	Shoemaking,	1,832	1	4	110 15 0
-	Carpentering,	60	2	0	6 0 0
-	Thsmithing,	105	2	0	10 10 0
-	Woodcutting,	1,431	0	4	24 14 4
-	Mistmaking,	420	0	7	12 6 0
-	Stonebreaking	1,625	0	4	17 1 3
		6,773	0	11½	315 19 5
	FARM AND GARDEN.				
-	Garden Labourers,	606	1	4	40 10 8
	PRISON BUILDINGS.				
-	Carpentering,	455	2	0	43 10 0
-	Smithing,	191	2	0	19 2 0
-	Painting,	445	1	8½	38 12 0
-	Labouring,	213	1	4	14 4 0
-	Masonry,	17	2	0	1 14 0
		1,302	1	9½	117 2 0
	PRISON EMPLOYMENT.				
-	Cooking,	304	1	6¼	23 8 1
-	Cleaning and jobbing work, . .	753	1	0	37 12 0
-	Washing Prisoners' Clothing, . .	720	1	0	35 0 0
-	Pumping water,	288	1	0	29 3 0
-	Bookbinding,	101	2	0	20 2 0
		2,861	1	1½	146 4 1

TABLE XL.—SHOWING employment of Convicts and estimated value of their Earnings—*continued*.

GRANGEGORMAN CONVICT PRISON.

No. 1.—VALUE of the Labour of Convicts (as per measured work) for the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Work.	Daily Averages (working days).	No. of Days.		Rate per day earned (see Summary).	Amount.
				s. d.	£ s. d.
Manufactory, . . .	21-01	—	6,267	0 10½	278 8 8
Prison employment, . . .	22-11	—	6,719	1 0½	852 11 10
Totals, . . .	43-12	—	12,986	0 11½	629 0 6
Non-EFFECTIVES.					
Sick,	2-04	741	—	—	—
Infirm,	1-22	370	—	—	—
Under Punishment, . . .	1-00	304	—	—	—
		Working days.	1,415	Average earnings.	
Grand Totals, . . .	47-78	× 804 =	14,531	0 10½	683 0 6

No. 2.—SUMMARY of Earnings of the various Trades or Parties, year ended 31st March, 1889.

No. of Party.	Employment.	No. of Days.	Average Earnings per Convict per Day as measured and valued.	Amount.
	MANUFACTORY.		s. d.	£ s. d.
2191	Knitting and Needlewomen, . . .	6,267	0 10½	278 8 8
	PRISON EMPLOYMENT.			
800	Cooking for the Prisoners, . . .	1,320	1 11	145 13 4
1089	Washing Prisoners' Clothing, . . .	3,819	0 10	137 15 4
574	Cleaning Prison,	1,764	0 8	58 2 8
48	Nursing,	148	1 6	10 17 6
		6,719	1 0½	852 11 10

Daily Average Number of Convicts in Custody during the Year, . . . 47-78

Per-centage of Prison Population Working, 90-33

Do. do. do. Sick, 7-89

Do. do. do. in Punishment, 1-85

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TABLE XL.—SHOWING employment of Convicts and estimated value of their Earnings—*continued*.

MARYBOROUGH CONVICT PRISON.

No. 1.—VALUE of the Labour of Convicts (as per measured work) for the year ended 31st March, 1889.

WORK.	Daily Averages (Working Days).	Number of Days.		Rate per Day Earned (see Summary)	Amount.
				s. d.	£ s. d.
Manufactory, . . .	4	1,182	—	1 8	78 17 0
Farm and Garden, . . .	8	555	—	1 0	44 0 0
Prison Buildings, . . .	10	3,050	—	1 8	256 0 0
			5,187	1 8½	578 8 6
Prison Employment, . . .	30	—	9,139	1 0	457 12 0
Totals, . . .	47	—	14,326	1 18½	530 15 6
NON-EFFECTIVES.					
Sick,	15	165	—	—	—
Under Punishment, . . .	15	165	—	—	—
Exempt from Labour—Medical grounds.	22	5,595	—	—	—
			7,000		
		Working Days,		Average Earnings.	
Grand Totals, . . .	79	x 304 =	21,360	0 9½	530 15 6

TABLE XL.—SHOWING employment of Convicts and estimated value of their Earnings.—*continued.*MARYBOROUGH CONVICT PRISON—*continued.*

No. 2.—SUMMARY of Earnings of the various Trades or Parties, year ended 31st March, 1899.

No. of Party.	Employment.	No. of Days.	Average Earnings per Convict per Day as measured and valued.	Amount.
			s. d.	£ s. d.
	MANUFACTORY.			
2	Tailoring,	407	1 6	42 19 11
2	Shoemaking,	478	1 6	28 18 8
1	Cutting Wood,	157	0 8	4 2 1
		1,132	1 3	73 17 6
	FARM AND GARDEN.			
5	Gardening,	384	1 0	44 8 0
	PRISON BUILDINGS.			
4	Carpenters,	1,020	2 0	102 0 0
2	Masons,	410	2 0	41 0 0
1	Printer,	160	1 4	14 0 0
5	Labourers,	1,470	1 4	96 0 0
		3,060	1 6	315 0 0
	PRISON EMPLOYMENT.			
7	Labourers,	2,115	1 0	105 8 0
8	Pumping water,	1,810	1 0	75 19 0
7	Cleaning Prison,	2,180	1 0	109 0 0
4	Repairing Clothing and Bedding,	1,743	1 0	85 2 0
2	Washing Clothing and Bedding,	853	1 0	33 12 0
3	Cooking,	812	1 0	45 12 0
		9,153	1 0	467 12 0

TABLE XL.—SHOWING employment of Convicts and estimated value of their Earnings—*continued*.

MOUNTJOY CONVICT PRISON.

No. 1.—VALUE of the Labour of Convicts (as per measured work) for the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Work.	Daily Averages (working days.)	No. of Days.		Rate per day earned (see Summary).	Amount.
				s. d.	£ s. d.
Manufactory,	278765	63,448-22	—	12-096	8,197 10 8
Farm and Garden,	5	1,520	—	26-64	170 12 8
Prison Buildings,	102765	81,522-32	96,188-640	18-779	2,443 2 0
				14-438	6,811 6 1
Prison Employment,	34753	—	16,584-608	18-386	689 3 8
Totals,	351163	—	196,723-248	14-280	6,466 8 7
Non-Effectives.					
Sick,	12-335	3,810-64			
Under Punishment,	8944	1,188-978			
Not told off to parties,	137	283-968			
			6,868-584		
		Working days.		Average earnings.	
Grand Totals,	368665	× 364 =	112,468-832	18-788	6,466 8 7

TABLE XL.—SHOWING employment of Convicts and estimated value of their Earnings—*continued*.MOUNTJOY CONVICT PRISON—*continued*.

No. 2.—SUMMARY of Earnings of the various Trades or Parties, year ended 31st March, 1889.

No. of Party.	Employment.	No. of Days.	Average Earnings per Convict per Day as measured and valued.	Amount.
	MANUFACTORY.		d.	£ s. d.
-	Tailoring,	16,622'634	16'8	1,574 5 6
-	Shoemaking,	15,156'638	16'6	1,000 10 1
-	Oakum Picking,	5,958'968	23'2	6 5 8
-	Mats and Matting,	9,596'978	2'212	208 6 10
-	Smithing, &c.,	712'68	24'	71 5 8
-	Carpentering,	696'	24'	60 16 0
-	Baking,	2,288'268	16'8	160 8 8
-	Cutting Firewood,	7,344'032	6'238	120 18 8
-	Basket Making,	2,161'104	7'185	64 8 0
		32,446'030	12'036	6,127 10 8
	FARM AND GARDEN.			
-	Garden Labourers,	1,620'	26'94	170 12 8
	PRISON BUILDINGS.			
-	Labouring,	12,697'56	16'	1,316 8 6
-	Smithing,	1,760'462	24'	176 11 6
-	Carpentering,	7,638'694	24'	763 16 7
-	Masons,	110'616	24'	11 1 3
-	Plastering,	1,343'464	24'	124 7 8
-	Painting,	450'786	30'8	47 6 7
-	Whitewashing,	886'616	12'	16 14 7
		21,222'62	18'779	2,468 2 0
	PRISON EMPLOYMENT.			
-	Cleaning,	4,481'568	12'	224 1 8
-	Store Porters,	1,146'166	12'	67 5 2
-	Stocking,	148'676	16'	9 16 2
-	Cooking,	1,894'8	16'4	129 16 8
-	Washing,	2,820'72	12'	141 5 8
-	Bookbinding,	285'498	24'	26 11 4
		12,564'608	16'661	550 5 6

REGISTRATION OF CHINESE.

TABLE XII.—Persons Sentenced to Police Supervision, and Number Discharged under Police Supervision, &c.,
for each Year from 1870.

Year.	1. Number of Chinese sentenced to Police supervision during year.			2. Number of Chinese discharged from Police supervision during year, subject to Police supervision.			3. Number of Chinese subject to Police supervision on 1st January.			4. Number of Chinese discharged from Police supervision on 31st December.			5. Number of Chinese subject to Police supervision on 1st January.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
1870.	4	1	5	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1871.	4	1	5	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1872.	21	10	31	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1873.	40	20	60	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1874.	50	24	74	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1875.	104	50	154	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1876.	104	7	111	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1877.	104	4	108	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1878.	41	9	50	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1879.	40	9	49	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1880.	38	9	47	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1881.	38	9	47	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1882.	41	12	53	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1883.	41	4	45	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1884.	31	9	40	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1885.	38	9	47	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1886.	3	2	5	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1887.	41	2	43	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110
1888.	31	2	33	44	66	110	241	64	305	4	1	5	44	66	110

* From 1st January, 1885, to 31st March, 1885, inclusive.

TABLE XLII.—NUMBER of queries as to Prisoners in Custody awaiting Trial, received from Prisons and Police during each of the following years, and showing the per-centage known :—

YEAR.	Queries received from		Per-centage known.	
	Prisons.	Police.	Prisons.	Police.
1870a.	—	—	—	—
1871b.	47	27	31·9	15·
1872.	99	40	36·36	35·
1873.	151	24	37·08	46·
1874.	133	42	40·6	38·09
1875.	164	32	33·54	15·62
1876.	130	25	26·15	8·
1877.	92	24	19·56	29·
1878.	73	26	26·	25·
1879.	57	35	21·	8·6
1880.	153	75	54·9	1·07
1880-81.	148	52	80·8	6·
1881-82.	140	13	79·3	7·7
1882-83.	99	15	61·6	6·6
1883-84.	96	3	82·3	—
1884-85.	92	6	63·7	50
1885-86.	98	9	95·	11
1886-87.	101	5	87·	40
1887-88.	94	2	91·5	100
1888-89.	94	—	94·6	—

a. No record kept.

b. Commencing August, 1871.

TABLE XLIII.—NUMBER of habitual criminals registered in :—

Year.	No.	Year.	No.
1870.	907	1880-81*.	985
1871.	1,058	1881-82.	924
1872.	840	1882-83.	189
1873.	1,118	1883-84.	164
1874.	1,062	1884-85.	172
1875.	986	1885-86.	208
1876.	964	1886-87.	250
1877.	609	1887-88.	135
1878.	272	1888-89.	160
1879.	505		

* From 1st January, 1880, to 31st March, 1881.

TABLE XLIV.—*Revenue of Sheriffs on account of Convict Prisoners, Outcast Prisoners, and Bridewells, for the Four Years 1877, 1886-7, 1887-8, and 1888-9, respectively.*

	Year 1877.	Year 1886-7.	Year 1887-8.	Year 1888-9.
	£	£	£	£
Pay and allowances of officers,	65,607	65,476	65,850	65,377
Allowing for prisoners,	61,369	59,468	61,837	59,465
Food, light, and water,	9,478	11,607	12,883	11,308
Buildings, furniture, &c.,	1,829	19,087	8,181	9,664
Other expenses,	18,879	11,778	19,668	9,264
Refunded expenses,	8,305	Included above.	Included above.	Included above.
Total,	187,368	216,916	187,748	185,488

SUMMARY.

Decrease in 1886-7 as compared with 1877.	£
" 1887-8 " 1886-7.	29,518
" 1888-9 " 1887-8.	29,078
	7,184
Total present decrease since 1877.	66,680

TABLE XLV.

EXPENDITURE—CONVICT AND LOCAL PRISONS
(INCLUSIVE OF BRIDEWELLS).

RETURN

SHOWING

THE EXPENDITURE UNDER HEADS OF SERVICE,
IN THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1889.

TABLE XLV.—EXPENDITURE—CONVICT AND
RETURN showing the Expenditure under each Head

HEADS OF SERVICE.	TOTAL.	Mountjoy.
Daily Average (including Minor Prisons and Bridewells).	(M. 2,417) (P. 779)	M. 659
COST OF STAFF.		
Pay and allowances of officers, including uniforms, &c.	£ s. d. 53,777 14 10	£ s. d. 11,942 19 11
Average annual Charge per prisoner,	15 18 5	15 2 5
MAINTENANCE OF PRISONERS.		
Victualling for prisoners,	70,482 4 7	5,187 5 6
Clothing for prisoners,	3,550 8 0	582 17 11
Medicines, surgical instruments, &c.,	550 15 2	203 13 8
Soap, scouring and cleaning articles,	878 12 7	218 5 6
Fuel, light, and water,	11,237 19 10	2,731 12 8
Total expenses of Maintenance,	86,640 19 2	9,523 15 0
Average annual charge per prisoner,	11 2 19	14 5 8
OTHER EXPENSES.		
Bedding for prisoners,	321 8 7	115 0 6
Gratuities to prisoners,	1,440 11 8	204 1 4
Kitchen utensils, crockery, &c.,	113 11 8	26 4 7
Rent,	909 11 3	0 1 0
Ordinary repairs of buildings and furniture, . . .	5,854 5 5	448 0 0
Incidental expenses,	1,055 4 2	205 6 10
Total of other Expenses,	5,187 11 0	1,199 14 5
Average annual charge per prisoner,	2 11 4	1 15 5
GROSS TOTAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR.		
Aggregate,	95,814 19 8	12,478 19 2
Per prisoner,	29 19 7	34 2 1

HEADS OF SERVICE.	Armagh.	Belfast.	Castlebar.
Daily Average (including Minor Prisons and Bridewells).	(M. 71) (P. 31)	M. 547 P. 182	M. 350 P. 7
COST OF STAFF.			
Pay and allowances of officers, including uniforms, &c.	£ s. d. 1,324 7 11	£ s. d. 4,187 5 11	£ s. d. 1,509 2 5
Average annual charge per prisoner,	16 0 8	5 7 10	25 1 0
MAINTENANCE OF PRISONERS.			
Victualling for prisoners,	637 7 2	2,107 17 1	325 8 8
Clothing for prisoners,	144 17 11	452 7 0	55 8 8
Medicines, surgical instruments, &c.,	31 2 5	20 12 2	4 10 2
Soap, scouring and cleaning articles,	35 3 5	101 14 0	8 2 1
Fuel, light, and water,	250 4 2	714 10 2	178 10 0
Total expenses of Maintenance,	1,108 15 10	4,408 1 5	640 12 5
Average annual charge per prisoner,	11 1 4	8 16 6	10 14 1
OTHER EXPENSES.			
Bedding for prisoners,	30 3 8	52 10 1	0 12 0
Gratuities to prisoners,	16 17 2	139 6 8	0 15 4
Kitchen utensils, crockery, &c.,	5 12 4	4 12 0	1 13 10
Rent,	—	26 5 2	—
Ordinary repairs of buildings and furniture, . . .	108 2 8	297 2 0	31 15 4
Incidental expenses,	32 14 8	83 15 8	41 11 6
Total of other Expenses,	276 10 4	645 14 2	85 6 8
Average annual charge per prisoner,	2 14 2	1 6 0	2 0 5
GROSS TOTAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR.			
Aggregate,	2,039 14 1	5,239 2 5	1,537 2 5
Per prisoner,	20 16 0	18 10 4	37 15 8

LOCAL PRISONS (inclusive of Bridewells).

of Service, in the year ended 31st March, 1889.

Grangegorman.	Downpatrick.	Maryborough.	HEADS OF SERVICE.
(M. 8) (T. 508)	M. 30	M. 70	Daily Average (including Minor Prisons and Bridewells).
£ s. d. 3,840 6 9	£ s. d. 1,504 8 6	£ s. d. 3,515 5 10	COST OF STAFF. Pay and allowances of officers, including uniforms, &c. Average annual charge per prisoner.
12 11 9	36 11 8	35 18 8	
1,347 9 10	406 0 5	644 11 10	MAINTENANCE OF PRISONERS. Victualling for prisoners. Clothing for prisoners. Medicines, surgical instruments, &c. Soap, scouring and cleaning articles, Fuel, light, and water.
252 16 6	41 5 3	147 8 6	
1 18 4	15 18 9	43 8 9	
87 3 0	10 8 2	12 0 2	
505 18 4	279 2 4	297 5 0	
5,168 2 9	758 1 6	1,947 0 5	Total expenses of Maintenance.
10 2 4	19 5 2	17 18 5	Average annual charge per prisoner.
34 8 11	—	13 10 0	OTHER EXPENSES. Bedding for prisoners. Gratuities to prisoners. Kitchen utensils, crockery, &c. Rent. Ordinary repairs of buildings and furniture. Incidental expenses.
115 14 11	118 3 0	149 4 5	
19 8 10	0 8 10	1 12 7	
—	—	—	
537 17 8	75 1 8	60 2 5	
70 17 10	45 2 8	35 13 4	
602 2 3	288 15 6	283 2 10	Total of Other Expenses.
2 11 3	5 2 5	5 6 7	Average annual charge per prisoner.
7,508 11 5	2,408 8 11	4,143 19 1	GROSS TOTAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR.
25 5 4	64 0 1	69 3 8	Aggregate. Per prisoner.
Glennel.	Cork, Mals.	Cork, Female.	HEADS OF SERVICE.
M. 64	(M. 252) (T. 4)	£ s. 82	Daily Average (including Minor Prisons and Bridewells).
£ s. d. 1,419 7 3	£ s. d. 2,504 10 11	£ s. d. 1,965 10 2	COST OF STAFF. Pay and allowances of officers, including uniforms, &c. Average annual charge per prisoner.
22 5 7	12 12 10	12 17 5	
820 0 7	1,503 0 9	420 14 7	MAINTENANCE OF PRISONERS. Victualling for prisoners. Clothing for prisoners. Medicines, surgical instruments, &c. Soap, scouring and cleaning articles, Fuel, light, and water.
55 2 4	282 5 0	45 12 6	
7 0 5	27 2 10	19 4 0	
15 15 9	89 16 6	7 5 1	
404 11 7	608 4 0	125 2 5	
758 6 6	2,150 15 1	733 15 7	Total expenses of Maintenance.
19 6 8	10 6 10	6 19 0	Average annual charge per prisoner.
11 1 2	35 10 2	16 2 7	OTHER EXPENSES. Bedding for prisoners. Gratuities to prisoners. Kitchen utensils, crockery, &c. Rent. Ordinary repairs of buildings and furniture. Incidental expenses.
89 19 6	71 15 5	12 19 7	
—	5 5 4	—	
139 2 0	—	60 0 0	
49 19 9	265 15 0	125 14 5	
70 1 0	26 8 0	67 5 5	
308 3 5	465 17 0	262 19 1	Total of other Expenses.
4 14 6	2 5 3	5 8 11	Average annual charge per prisoner.
2,511 19 2	2,291 3 0	2,672 1 11	GROSS TOTAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR.
20 5 0	25 4 11	75 5 4	Aggregate. Per prisoner.

at Mountjoy Prison and supplied from that establishment

TABLE XLV.—CONVICT AND LOCAL

RETURN showing the Expenditure under each Head

HEADS OF SERVICE.	Dundalk.	Galway.	Kilkenny.
Daily Average (including Minor Prisons and Bridewells).	£. s. d.	(£. 68) (£. 14)	£. 119
COST OF STAFF.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
Pay and allowances of officers, including uniforms, &c.	1,466 1 11	1,524 17 6	1,557 16 11
Average annual charge per prisoner,	16 9 6	19 1 3	19 16 8
MAINTENANCE OF PRISONERS.			
Victualling for prisoners,	528 13 9	612 12 1	621 7 0
Clothing for prisoners,	129 16 1	92 4 8	122 0 11
Medicines, surgical instruments, &c.,	8 0 9	26 6 7	14 6 6
Soap, scouring and cleaning articles,	16 11 5	35 5 6	30 10 10
Fuel, light, and water,	226 8 5	552 6 4	569 19 0
Total expenses of Maintenance,	907 16 5	1,217 16 11	1,143 7 6
Average annual charge per prisoner,	10 4 0	15 4 6	9 12 0
OTHER EXPENSES.			
Bedding for prisoners,	13 15 0	9 10 10	0 15 4
Gratuities to prisoners,	51 0 7	14 14 8	68 11 8
Kitchen utensils, crockery, &c.,	2 8 6	1 16 8	5 16 7
Rent,	37 17 2	—	10 0 0
Ordinary repairs of buildings and furniture,	188 12 11	160 6 5	61 19 10
Incidental expenses,	24 4 1	161 16 1	29 0 0
Total of other Expenses,	267 16 3	344 3 10	174 5 9
Average annual charge per prisoner,	3 0 2	4 6 0	1 9 8
GROSS TOTAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR.			
Aggregate,	2,641 10 7	2,567 0 8	2,654 12 1
Per prisoner,	29 13 6	36 11 9	28 19 9

HEADS OF SERVICE.	Sligo.	Tralee.
Daily Average (including Minor Prisons and Bridewells).	(£. 68) (£. 17)	(£. 60) (£. 8)
COST OF STAFF.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
Pay and allowances of officers, including uniforms, &c.	1,642 4 6	1,141 15 10
Average annual charge per prisoner,	16 12 10	18 8 4
MAINTENANCE OF PRISONERS.		
Victualling for prisoners,	457 12 1	334 7 3
Clothing for prisoners,	53 16 4	44 16 4
Medicines, surgical instruments, &c.,	12 16 6	6 2 11
Soap, scouring and cleaning articles,	20 1 1	14 7 9
Fuel, light, and water,	294 11 4	318 13 3
Total expenses of Maintenance,	656 16 4	717 10 9
Average annual charge per prisoner,	11 16 4	11 11 6
OTHER EXPENSES.		
Bedding for prisoners,	20 10 9	9 4 0
Gratuities to prisoners,	11 17 1	5 6 3
Kitchen utensils, crockery, &c.,	1 16 8	0 16 10
Rent,	70 6 11	42 0 0
Ordinary repairs of buildings and furniture,	123 17 5	65 6 12
Incidental expenses,	66 4 0	64 16 11
Total of other Expenses,	321 9 10	237 12 11
Average annual charge per prisoner,	4 9 4	3 7 0
GROSS TOTAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR.		
Aggregate,	2,514 12 10	2,063 16 11
Per prisoner,	34 16 6	28 6 9

PRISONS (inclusive of Bridewells)—continued.

of Service, in the year ended 31st March, 1889—continued.

Kilmainham.		Limerick, Male.		Limerick, Female.		Londonderry.		HEADS OF SERVICE.
{M. 140 } {P. 1 }		M. 110		F. 42		{M. 120 } {P. 35 }		Daily Average (including Minor Prisons and Bridewells).
£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		COST OF STAFF.
2,304 12 7		2,024 8 0		846 9 1		2,364 12 7		Pay and allowances of officers, including uniforms, &c.
15 7 3		16 6 1		20 3 1		14 8 7		Average annual charge per prisoner.
794 6 8		626 14 5		226 0 11		806 4 8		MAINTENANCE OF PRISONERS.
161 3 9		146 14 5		24 4 3		118 5 8		Victualling for prisoners.
11 12 0		28 11 11		8 19 8		16 12 7		Clothing for prisoners.
48 7 8		71 11 0		32 11 8		37 15 6		Medicines, surgical instruments, &c.
817 12 9		589 6 0		214 12 5		566 4 2		Soap, scouring and cleaning articles.
1,578 10 11		1,461 17 2		696 15 1		1,641 1 11		Fuel, light, and water.
10 4 0		13 5 8		12 1 4		9 10 8		Total expenses of Maintenance.
34 5 3		26 10 13		11 0 0		20 16 0		Average annual charge per prisoner.
19 10 8		19 19 6		7 4 5		50 1 3		OTHER EXPENSES.
5 0 1		2 1 8		1 11 10		4 5 6		Bedding for prisoners.
7 4 6		—		—		—		Gratuities to prisoners.
101 8 11		130 12 0		113 0 3		319 2 7		Kitchen utensils, crockery, &c.
98 17 10		40 6 11		60 12 0		76 4 11		Rent.
288 10 1		234 11 0		133 9 0		667 12 11		Ordinary repairs of buildings and furniture.
2 1 2		2 2 6		4 12 1		2 16 0		Incidental expenses.
4,146 13 7		3,720 16 2		1,543 13 2		4,408 10 5		Total of other Expenses.
27 12 2		33 16 6		23 13 6		20 16 1		Average annual charge per prisoner.
—		—		—		—		GROSS TOTAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR.
—		—		—		—		Aggregate.
—		—		—		—		Per prisoner.

Tullamore.		Waterford.		Wexford.		HEADS OF SERVICE.
{M. 67 } {P. 22 }		{M. 51 } {P. 34 }		{M. 26 } {P. 9 }		Daily Average (including Minor Prisons and Bridewells).
£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		COST OF STAFF.
1,813 12 1		1,642 12 0		1,002 2 2		Pay and allowances of officers, including uniforms, &c.
20 3 0		16 10 5		23 4 8		Average annual charge per prisoner.
404 2 2		824 7 8		213 8 1		MAINTENANCE OF PRISONERS.
60 17 1		61 1 6		69 2 8		Victualling for prisoners.
26 4 0		14 16 7		8 2 4		Clothing for prisoners.
17 19 8		14 9 2		16 7 6		Medicines, surgical instruments, &c.
369 4 6		371 16 11		186 2 8		Soap, scouring and cleaning articles.
960 14 6		1,006 16 2		554 2 10		Fuel, light, and water.
10 16 6		11 16 11		12 0 1		Total expenses of Maintenance.
12 0 8		16 5 2		0 10 6		Average annual charge per prisoner.
20 16 4		28 12 4		16 6 7		OTHER EXPENSES.
4 12 1		5 15 0		0 16 1		Bedding for prisoners.
—		—		—		Gratuities to prisoners.
120 11 10		161 16 10		27 7 7		Kitchen utensils, crockery, &c.
137 8 0		50 0 5		65 17 8		Rent.
311 12 6		394 12 4		366 10 11		Ordinary repairs of buildings and furniture.
8 9 2		3 7 0		6 5 4		Incidental expenses.
6,038 16 9		2,724 8 1		2,044 16 11		Total of other Expenses.
84 6 2		22 3 4		43 10 1		Average annual charge per prisoner.
—		—		—		GROSS TOTAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR.
—		—		—		Aggregate.
—		—		—		Per prisoner.

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